



THE PATRIARCH





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SPIRIT

To a sweet girl
Best of luck and
Lots of Love See you
this summer.

Love,
Holly

THE PATRIARCH



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ONE IN
SPIRIT . . .

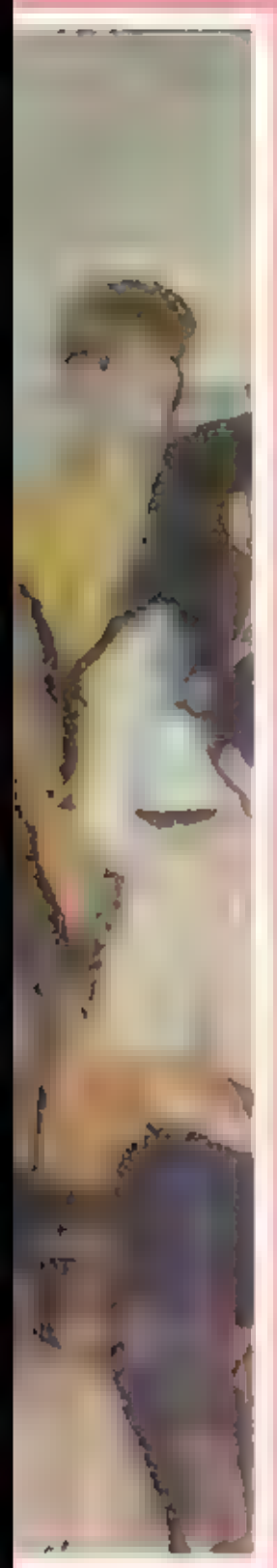


WITH OURSELVES





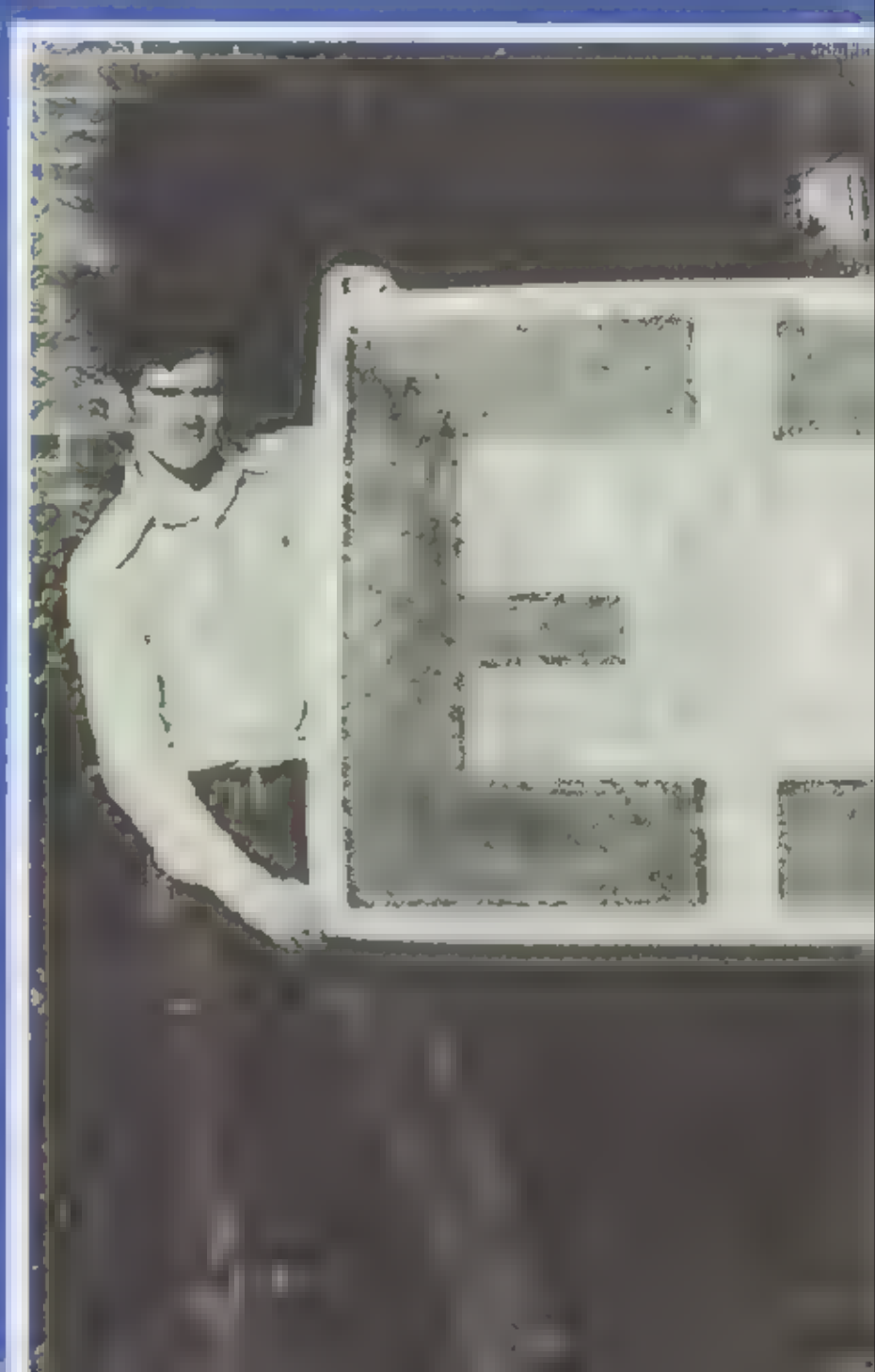




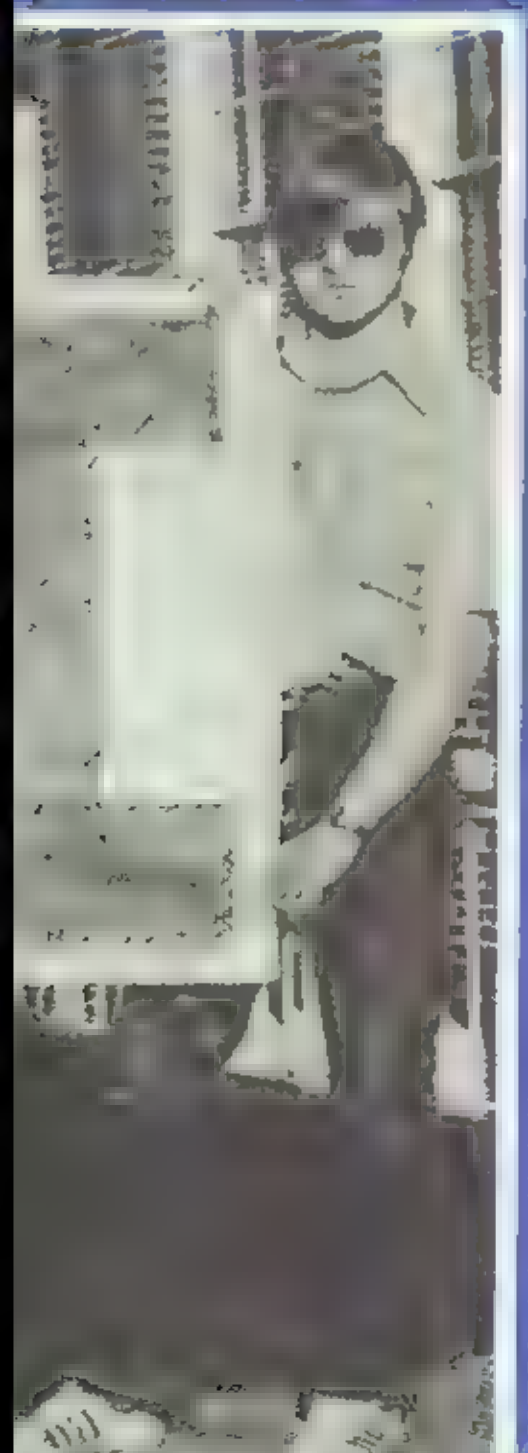
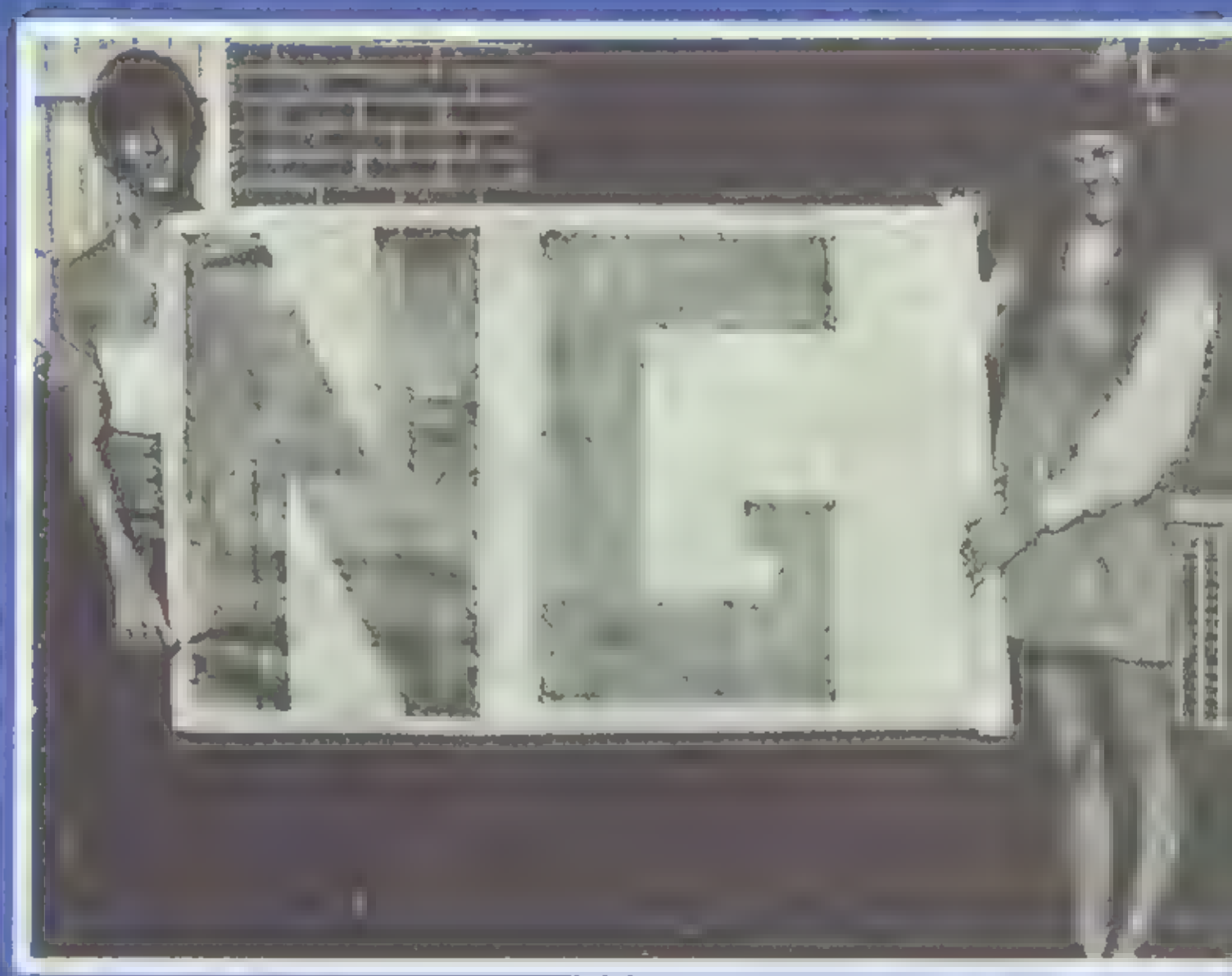
AND WITH OTHERS







BEING



ADMINISTRATION MADE



Mr. H. Duncan Headmaster



US ONE



Mrs. Betty Farmer—School Secretary



Mrs. Wanda L. Lyle—High School Secretary



Mrs. Marian McFerren—Secretary to Mr. Duncan

In leading the students and faculty through the school year, the First Baptist administration drew everyone together.

Mr. Duncan greatly boosted the "Spirit of '73." His participation in games and pep rallies, such as leading the students in "Who are the Patriots?", raised school spirit to a new high.

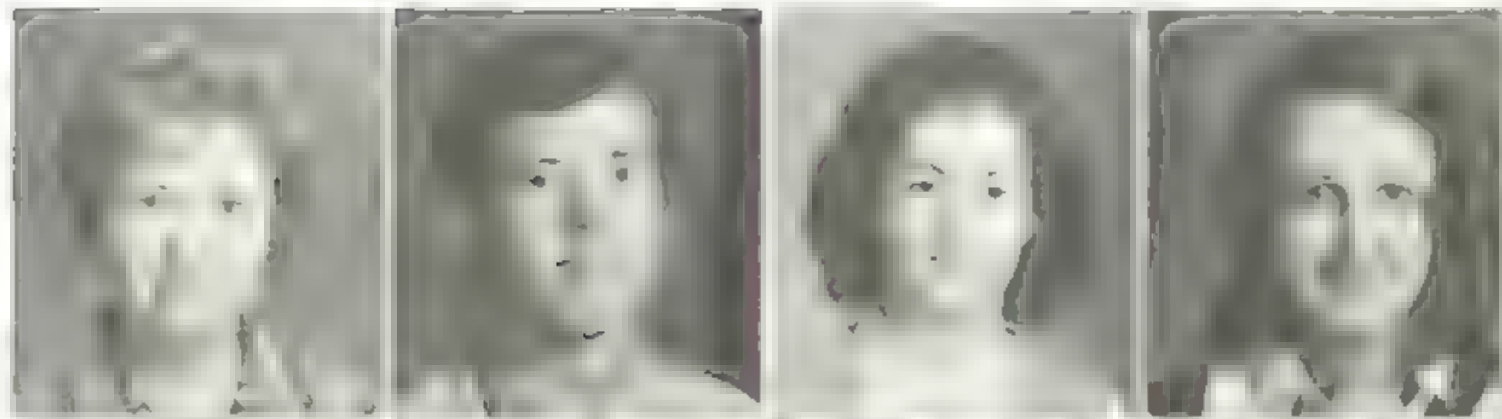
The rest of the administration did more than their share to keep the school running smoothly. Mr. Duncan's assistants had duties varying from timing basketball games to enforcing haircut regulations, which they handled skillfully. The secretaries, although greatly tried at times, patiently took care of many problems that were presented to them.



Mr. John Cholson, Assistant Headmaster. Mr. Oscar Pool, Administrative Assistant

TEACHERS' LIVES

Mrs. Thelma Boughton
Mr. Milton Burke
Mrs. Louise Chandler
Mrs. Irion Hawkins



Miss Dianne Dunn
Mr. Don Duren
Miss Donna Dyer
Mrs. Janet Elrod



BELOW: Some teachers were sly . . . RIGHT: Entering into Patriot Day spirit were Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Wilkins and Miss Dyer

Mrs. Betty Fair
Mrs. Lillian Graves



ARE VARIED



Dr. Wayne Hanson
Mrs. Mary Ann Herrndon
Mrs. Sandra Long

Mrs. Sandra Harper
Mrs. Diane Lawton
Mr. Bill Mabry



Mrs. Lixie Lawrence
Mrs. Jennifer Mason



TOP LEFT Surrounded by soccer balls, Coach Duren contemplated the past season. TOP RIGHT: The early morning spirit breakfasts were enjoyed by teachers and students alike. ABOVE: The senior Halloween party was attended by a good shepherd with a wanton

THEY HAVE



Mrs. Merline McCutchen
Mrs. Kathleen Paine

Mrs. Carolyn Montcalm
Mrs. Sandra Pittman

Mrs. Elizabeth Moore
Mrs. Jane Price

Mrs. Nancy Neal
Mrs. Jo Ann Redden

Mrs. Elaine Oncina
Mrs. Johnnie Schulman



ABOVE: The Back-to-School assembly introduced the faculty to the students. RIGHT: Boosting team spirit, Mrs. Schulman joined the Pep Squad at the spirit breakfast.



FUN TOO



Mr. Leon Shaw Jr.
Mrs. Martha Tesnow
Miss Tillie Tolar



Mrs. Margaret Waller
Mrs. Martha Watson
Mrs. Connie Wilkins



Mr. Stan Wilkins

Mrs. Marcia Wilson

BELOW Mrs. Moore showed everyone her "Big One"
BELOW RIGHT Enjoying the magazines in the new library were Miss Dunn, Mrs. Neal and Mrs. Watson



THREE YEAR



Danny Caulkins
Kristi Jones



Merritt Chastain
Ashley Joseph
Kristin Smartwood

Adnanne Horton
Stafford Long
Holly Tietjen

Tom Jackson
Laune Patterson
Laura White



KINDERGARTEN

Redden



BOTTOM LEFT: Tinker toys fascinated a young Patnot. **CENTER:** Molding clay encouraged creativity. **ABOVE:** The three year olds enjoyed many outdoor activities on the playground.

Sam Adams
Michael Gibson
Lussley Merklein
Coty Rosenblath
Mark Weldon

Susan Beard
Wayne Graham
Graham Powell
Stacy Somner
Stephen White

Rebecca Fox
James Hunter
Carter Richardson
Johnette Thomas
David Winkler



Amanda Gaar
Martin Lattier
Heather Sawyer
Mary Tucker

Amanda Jones
Stacey McBryde
Stanton Scott
Jim Van Hook

Bryson Innes
Dawn Means
Cassandra Sherwin
Jeffrey Walker

Merrill Kogas
Ashley Peatross
Jill Smith
Jeffrey Smith

KINDERGARTEN

Elrod



Cricket Bennett
Kenny Gibson
Janice McAlister
Carleton Riser

Margaret Bundrick
Bradley Gordon
Jamie Pesnell
Rebecca Rutlin

Lugh Allen
Patricia Cook
Billy Hume
Robert Pringle
John Somner

Trey Barnes
Blair Drummond
Annsey Lang
Allen Richardson
Charles Tingle

FIVE YEAR



Elizabeth Beard
Laura Fox
Julienne Hutchinson
Marilyn McClure

Martha Bowen
Cynthia Gibson
Jay Jones
Jim Mitchell

Alicia Brykin
Pam Ciss
Mary Ellen Kalmbach
Leigh Ann Moore



Chip Carter
Heather Herren
Sinx-lair Kouns
Catherine Spence
Michael Towery

Keri Elrod
John Hunter
Patrick Lashley
Samantha Temple
Patrick Weldon

KINDERGARTEN

McCutchen



Ben Brooks
Krystal Kiser
Debbly White



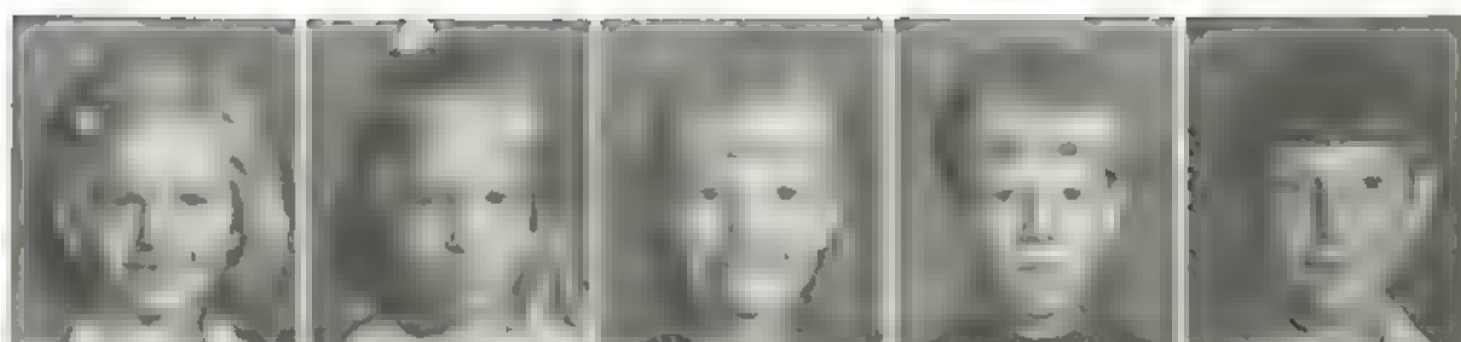
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Brian Byrd
Troy Schulman
Richard Wiegand

Todd Berry
Stewart Howard
Hilare Shown
Rebekah Lunsford

TOP RIGHT: The kindergarten participated in group singing throughout the year. BOTTOM RIGHT: Five year olds were delighted in playing on the merry-go-round.



Kim Bennett
Mary Ann Bolton
Laura Boughton
Herbert Coussons
Doug Doerfer



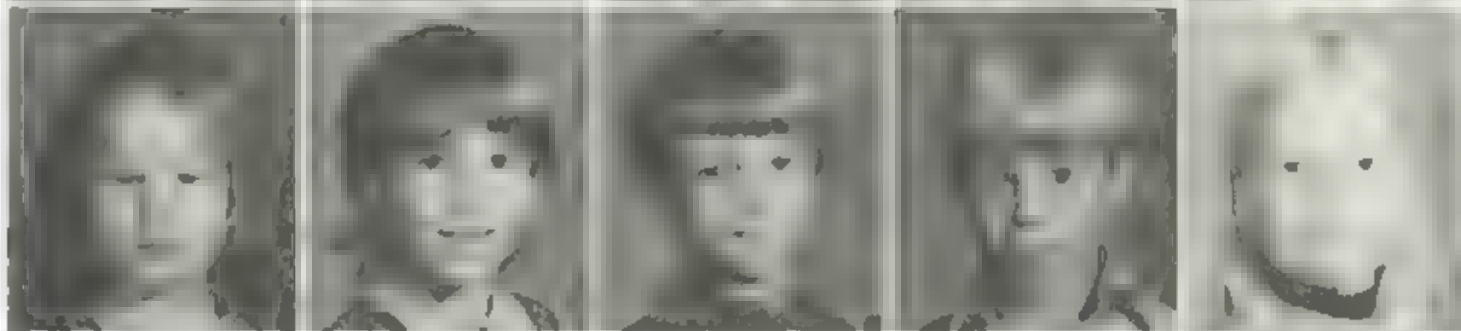
Duke Ehrhardt
Charles Everett
Ernest Fort
Karen Golden
Greg Gordon



Elizabeth Gorman
Pierce Graham
Gloria Hamilton
Stephen Hullett
Becca Lang



Carlee McCain
Pam Moore
Martin Morgan
Richard O'Dom
Melissa Palmer



Donny Rowland
Ronnie Sawyer
Forrest Wall
Michelle Warner
Suzanne Washburn

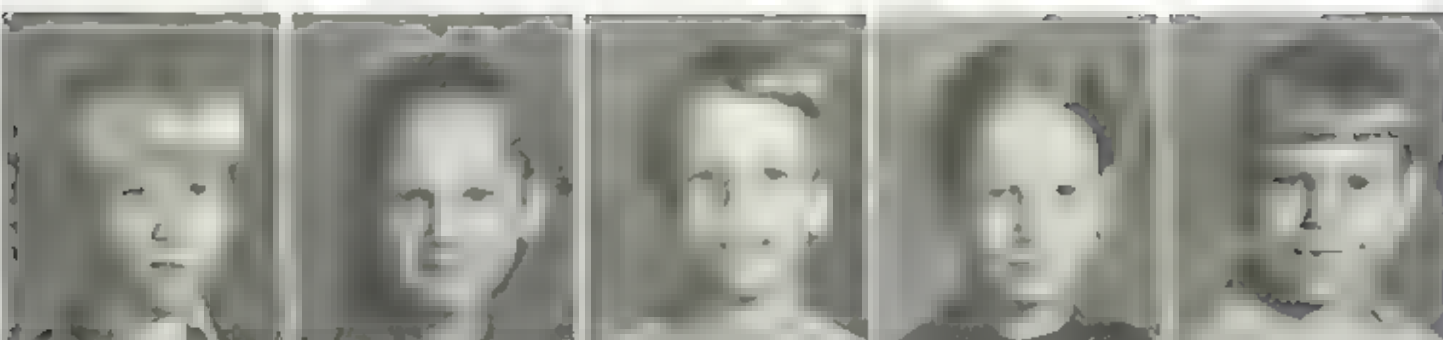


Katherine West
Greg Wilson



GRADE

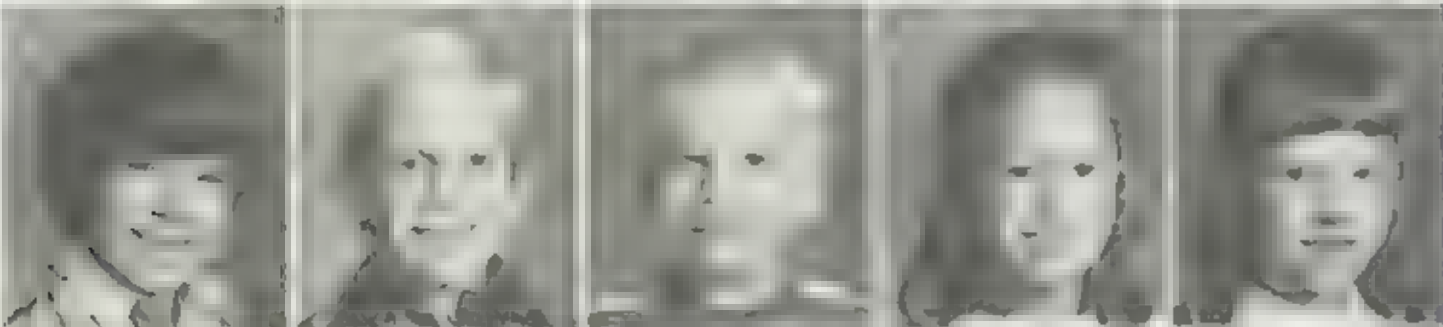
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Tom Adair
Christy Allen
Randy Barn
Kelli Daryl
Trey Ellis



Don Evans
William Fain
Allyn Goldsby
Celeste Hamm
Wayne Hanson



Ashley Hullet
Patrick Jackson
Drew Lashley
Elanor Miller
Laura Moore

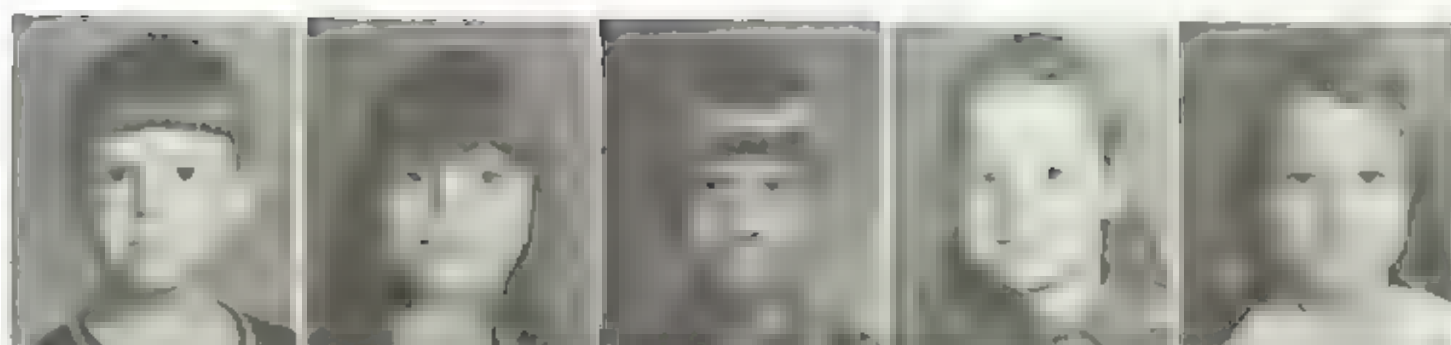


Christopher Peatross
Elizabeth Reed
David Renda
Martha Reynolds
Stuart Scott



Davey Shanks
Toby Traylor
Wendall Wall
Amy Watkins
Caroline West

Norman Akins
Angela Anderson
Lee Anthony
Sarah Margaret Bryant
Andrea Drummond



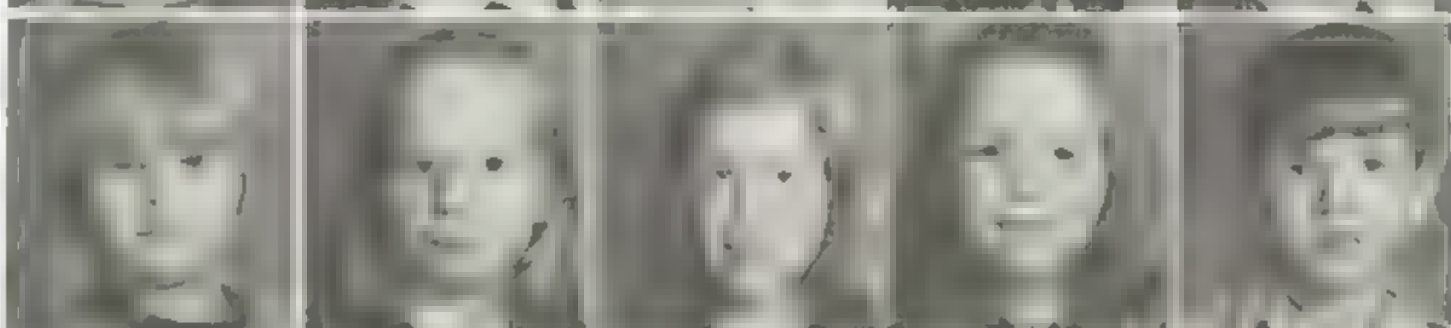
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George Graham
Kristin Hart
Janice Howell
Wallace Ivy



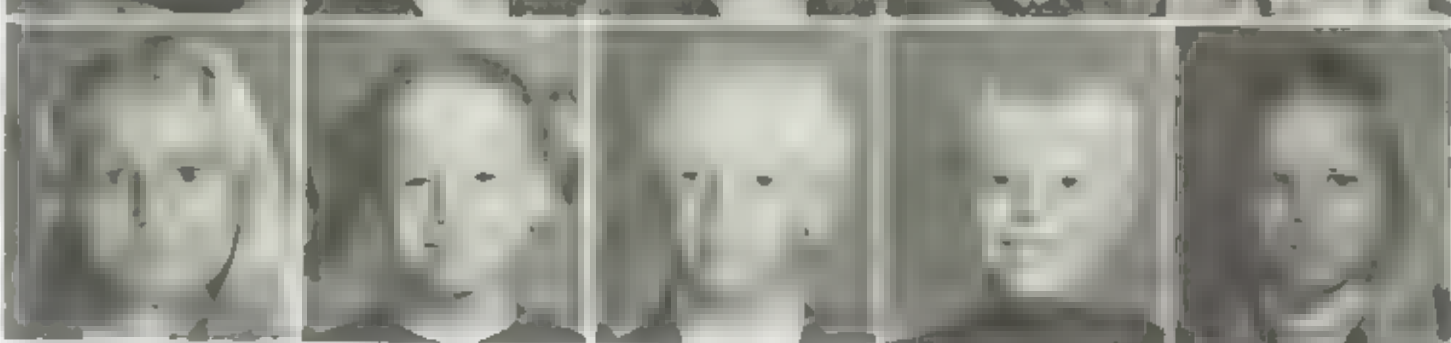
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Kendall Lloyd
Jeff Lovell
Allyson Luck
Cathy Marshall



Robby Matheny
Candi Nance
Amy Oakes
Kellen Oden
Stephen Pittman



Mary Gwen Sawyer
Karen Scott
Billy Towery
Craig Watkins
Allison Webb



Melody Wheeler
Martin Wilson



GRADE

Harper



Pamela Allen
Marco Cosby
Ashley Deckard
Leta Eaves
Libbie Fair

Jeff Forte
Jill Gaar
Michael Grimley
Scott Hendrix
Mary Kathryn Howard

Mark Jackson
Vicki Johnson
Billy King
Patti May
Clint McAlister

Jim McClure
Brenda Nims
Margaret Peavy
Amy Robertson
Kimberly Schulman

Pam Scruggs
Harbe Spence
Michele Tedford
Darryl Tesnow
Glen Wardlaw

Dean Worley

Angie Bain
Todd Barlow
Evan Campbell
Mary Chapman
Lila Evans

Bobby Jack Gorman
Pam Greer
Jill Griffin
Hunter Herren
Robert Hill

David Hoge
David Liembrook
Laura Loe
Susan McConico
Danny Megison

Christina Nemeo
Margaret Quick
Jameson Riser
Greg Seal
Randy Sermons

Jay Smith
Mary Tucker
Elizabeth West
Helen Williams



GRADE

Graves



John Bain
Melinda Brown
Stewart Bundrick
Prentiss Burt
Katherine Daily

Andrea Davis
Kinta Fair
Charles Gray
Jimmy Hagan
Tammy Harris

John Herbert
Robby Herndon
M'Lyn Hiem
Will Home
Ray McDaniel

Gordon Merklein
Lynne Miller
Mary Moore
Melissa Phillips
Robin Risley

Karen Schilfinger
Lon Smith
Mary Stamper
Harris White
Mary Whited



Anne Wilder

Lee Ayres
Kathy Beason
Art Bercher
Roger Boykin
John Egin

Kathy Fain
Debby Fair
Bob Fryar
Anita Games
Susan Gleason

Jean Hand
Bill Kamback
Betty Loveli
Dean Mayfield
Ryan Montcalm



GRADE



Ron Viskozki
Brian Waite
Felisa Wheeler
Elizabeth Wilkey
Barry Wilson

Michelle Morgan
Diane Murphree
Beth Roach
Barron Skanner
George Sonnier
Susan Ulmer



FAR LEFT: The fourth graders discussed math with Mrs. Tesnow. LEFT: Coach Shaw, along with Miss Tolar, supervised the fourth grade class in physical education activities. ABOVE TOP: Under the guidance of Mrs. Montcalm, the fourth graders had many hours of fun constructing volcanoes ABOVE. Several young scientists earnestly awaited the eruption of the volcanoes.

Lisa Allen
Tommy Black
Karen Bolen
Taylor Brown
Paul Burch

Lon Chandler
Becca Despot
Matt Fryar
Valerie Gaar
Ginny Guin

John Hand
Barrie Hiern
Janet James
Catherine Love
Tom Madden

Penny Megison
Susan Metcalfe
Wayne Neal
Briant Noland
Robin Sandifer

Greg Scarsdale
Tara Singletary
Mary Leah Stewart
Terry VanBibber
Paul Webb

Amanda Wilder



GRADE

Pittman



Rebecca Alfred
Paula Berry
Scott Blevins
Carol Cox
David deBeradinis

Derek Dunn
Kelly Elrod
Bryan Evans
Betsy Farmer
Jim Graham

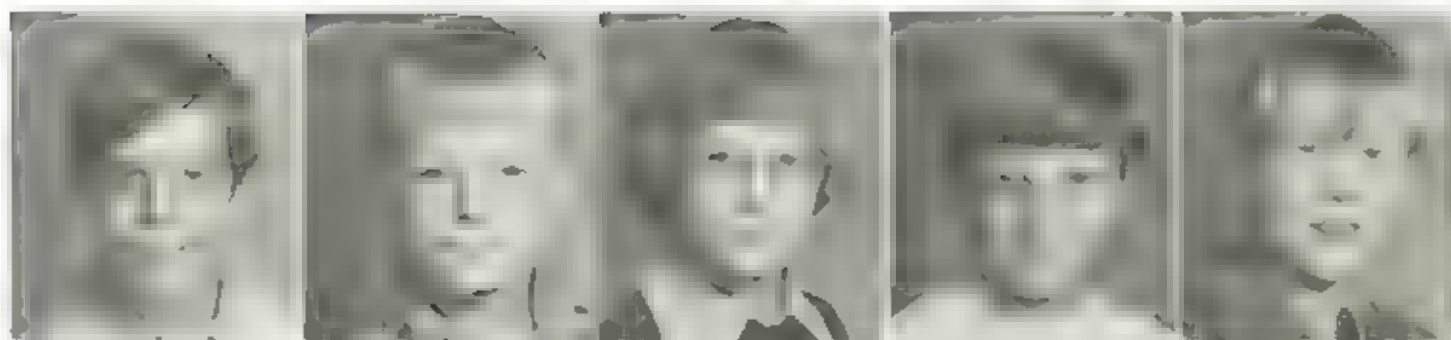
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Elizabeth King
Lesley Loe

Jennifer Lovell
Brian Miller
Mark Moore
Blake Palmer
Auan Pesnell

Ashley Sawyer
Karen Snow
James Stamper
Deborah Tompkins
Will Watkins

David White
Laura Wolfe

Cameron Belchic
Pat Cartier
Kay Cheesman
Ben Cobb
Neal Cowen



Joey Darwin
David Douchere
Kathryn Eaves
Sally Fleming
Karen Haag



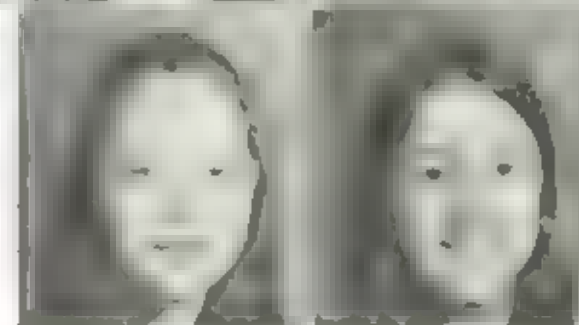
Cindy Hawkins
Susan Hendrick
Walter Hendrick
Sara Kaimbach
Laura Little



Matt Locke
Ed McConnico
Trip Merklein
David Montcalm
Tim Patton



Tom Price
Suzette Scott
Elizabeth Skannal
Johnell Waterman
Julie White



Alison Yearwood

Pam Zager



Sixth Grade League Champions, STAND-
ING: Randy Davis, Cameron Belchic, Paul
McBnde, Gordon Moore. KNEELING: Matt
Locke, Cody White, Ben Cobb, Craig
Hammett

GRADE

Wilson



David Boughton
Pete Bryant
David Burch
Randy Davis
Ruth Doerter

Mary Evans
Ragan Farr
William Farmer
Melissa Flournoy
Rachael Gaar

Betsy Hamilton
Craig Hammett
Kim Hetherwick
Earlene Leadaman
Paul McBride

Billy Miles
Gordon Moore
Windell Phillips
Gordon Quick
Matt Rosenbath

Susan Rhuntree
Nancy Simmons
Lisa Tacker
Kelli Ulmer
Cody White



Cheerleaders, FRONT ROW: Susan Hendrick
Cindy Hawkins. SECOND ROW: Kelli Ulmer,
Pam Zager, Mary Evans.

Jay Allen
Steve Beebe
David Black
Gala Byrd
Tab Cahn



Amy Cobb
Scott Cunningham
Margaret Emmons
Michael Fair
Brian Flournoy



Laura Grafton
Nancy Grswold
Elizabeth Jones
Leigh Ann King
Gretchen Kurzweg



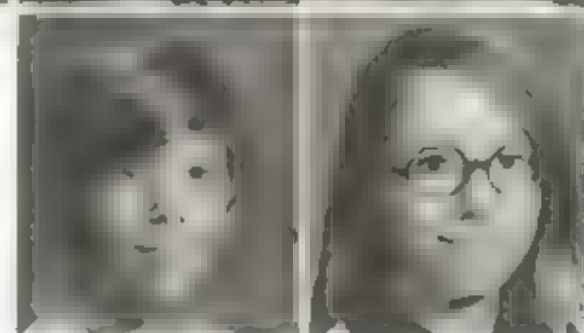
Stephane Luck
Rodenck Maxwell
Gil McElroy
Laura Noland
Jann Parker



Cindy Scott
Trey Smith
Toni Singletary
Betty Tucker
Brad Warte



Mitchell Wilder
Roxanne Wilson



GRADE

Lawrence



Mark Alvord
Laura Ayres
David Bolton
Milie Bourne
Brad Dutton

Lauren Florsheim
Karen Gaar
Charles Glover
Jennifer Hill
Randy Hughes

Elenrae Joyner
Renee Lavelle
Melissa Leimbrook
Michelle Love
Alden Marsalis

Elaine Mayo
Stephen Moore
Brian Murray
Mimi O'Neal
Missy Rambach

Linda Scott
Bill Simmons
Hayden Snow
Jennifer Talbot
Clay Ulmer

Melissa Watkins
Mark Webb
Hayes Worley

Freddie Adams
Kirby Bicknell
Todd Bicknell
Martha Boyett
Alan Burch



Dan Cheesman
Chuck Clark
Julie Cobb
Dede Coddington
Laura Coleman



Foster Cook
Mac Crawford
Beth Fryar
Stephanie Harrell
Pat Hawkins



Lauren Kouns
Walter Lamb
Lindi Locke
Kim Loveli
Ann McConnico



Matilda McCullough
David Meadows
Whitney Pesnell
Rodney Roach
Mark Robinson



Carol Schillinger
Steve Scott
Jana Stephens



GRADE

Chandler



Pat Avinger
Hugh Bailey
Carol Bryant
Caroline Chapman
Dianne Cooper



Alice Ann Davis
Martha Evans
Mary Gibson
Bobby Farmer
Herbie Hamilton



Jennie Henry
Janet Kozak
Sallye Marcus
Kelley McConnell
Steve Megison



Patricia Merklein
Byron Moore
Eddie Morgan
Nancy Nelson
Mark Olive



James Phillips
A.C. Skanna
David Turley
Melanie Tesnow
Chuck White



Tom Wilson

FAVORITES



SEVENTH GRADE

Jenny Talbot

Mitchell Wilder

EIGHTH GRADE

Matilda McCullough

Eddie Morgan

JUNIOR HIGH ACTIVITIES



Junior High Student Council activities began this year when students collected boxes of toys and clothing for needy families. At Christmas time the Council bought gift certificates for the secretaries, Mrs. Farmer and Mrs. McFerren, and for the school's mailman. Plans were to hold another student-Faculty basketball game in March with the money earned going toward buying a set of encyclopedias for the Junior High. Around the school, the Council hoped to begin an Ecology program which included planting a dogwood tree on the school grounds.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Whitney Pesnell, Trey Smith, Brian Fournoy, Pat Avinger, Walter Lamb, Clay Limer, Caroline Chapman, Millie Bouma, Gayla Byrd, Betty Tucker, Jana Stephens, Mary Gibson, Nancy Nelson, Matilda McCaughy, Melissa Watkins, Stephanie Harrell, Renee Lavelle, Jenny Talbot, Elaine Mayo, Ann McConnico, Milton Burke; sponsor



FRESHMEN



Jimmy Allred
Kathleen Anderton
Mike Bacon
Marcia Breithaupt
Layton Britl

Nancy Brown
Camile Bundrick
Nancy Carter
Nancy Crook
Brian Fiorshelm

Frances Flourney
Clement Fox
Robert Goode
Don Greer
Jeff Hamm

Lila Hargrove
James Hearne
Denise Hiddleston
Susan Hoskins
Ed Jackson

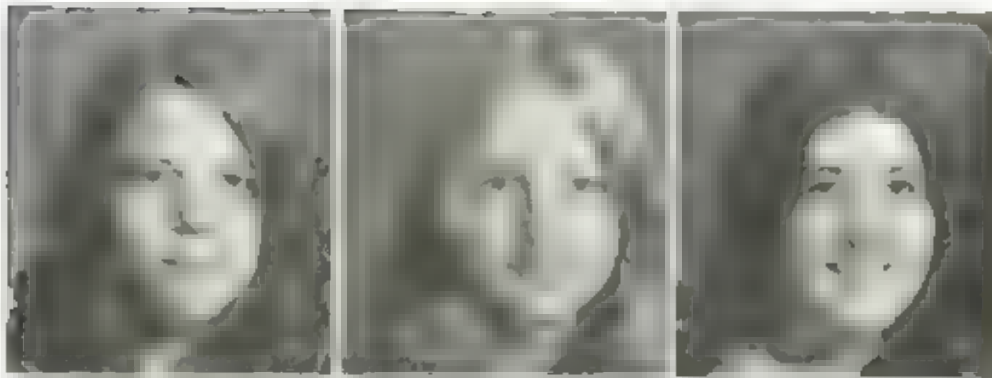
Kevin Jones
Turner Kurzweg
Ann Lamb
Ed Lasler
Mark Lavelle

The Freshman class was eager to become a part of high school life. Throughout the year, select Freshmen were recognized by the honor roll. In addition to academic work, interest was shown in high school organizations, sports events, and class functions. A class party that was enjoyed by all was the Christmas party at Susan Hoskin's house. Other parties included a skating party at the new ice skating rink.

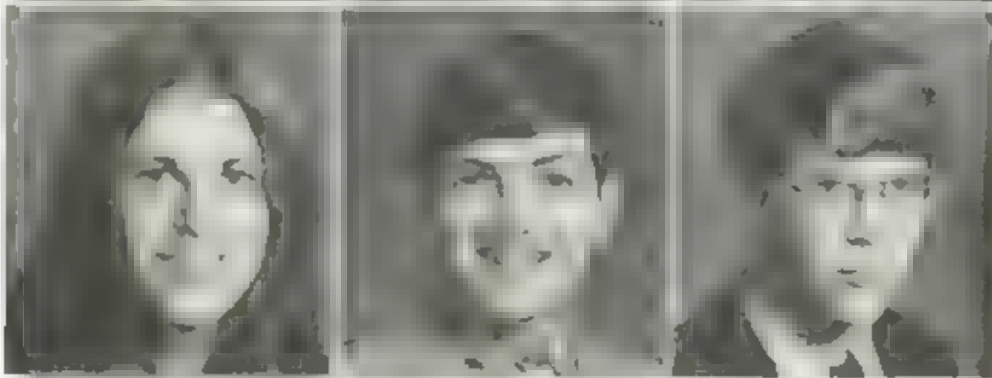
Freshmen showed true Patriot spirit by their wholehearted participation and involvement in school life.

FRESHMEN FOCUSED ON

Becky Lockridge
Janet Loe
Christi Mayo



Vicki Mulina
Lee Murdock
Craig Nash



Gail Oliver
Carol Patton
Carol Pitts



Mark Porter
Jamie Robbins

Freshmen entered wholeheartedly into the contests for the Spirit Stick at each of the high school pep rallies.

FUTURE AT F.B.S.



Missy Sonnier
Allison Stage
Mark Stevens

Candy Tillman
Mark Turley
Mitchell Weldon

David Williams
Kathy Wolfe
Janice Wilson



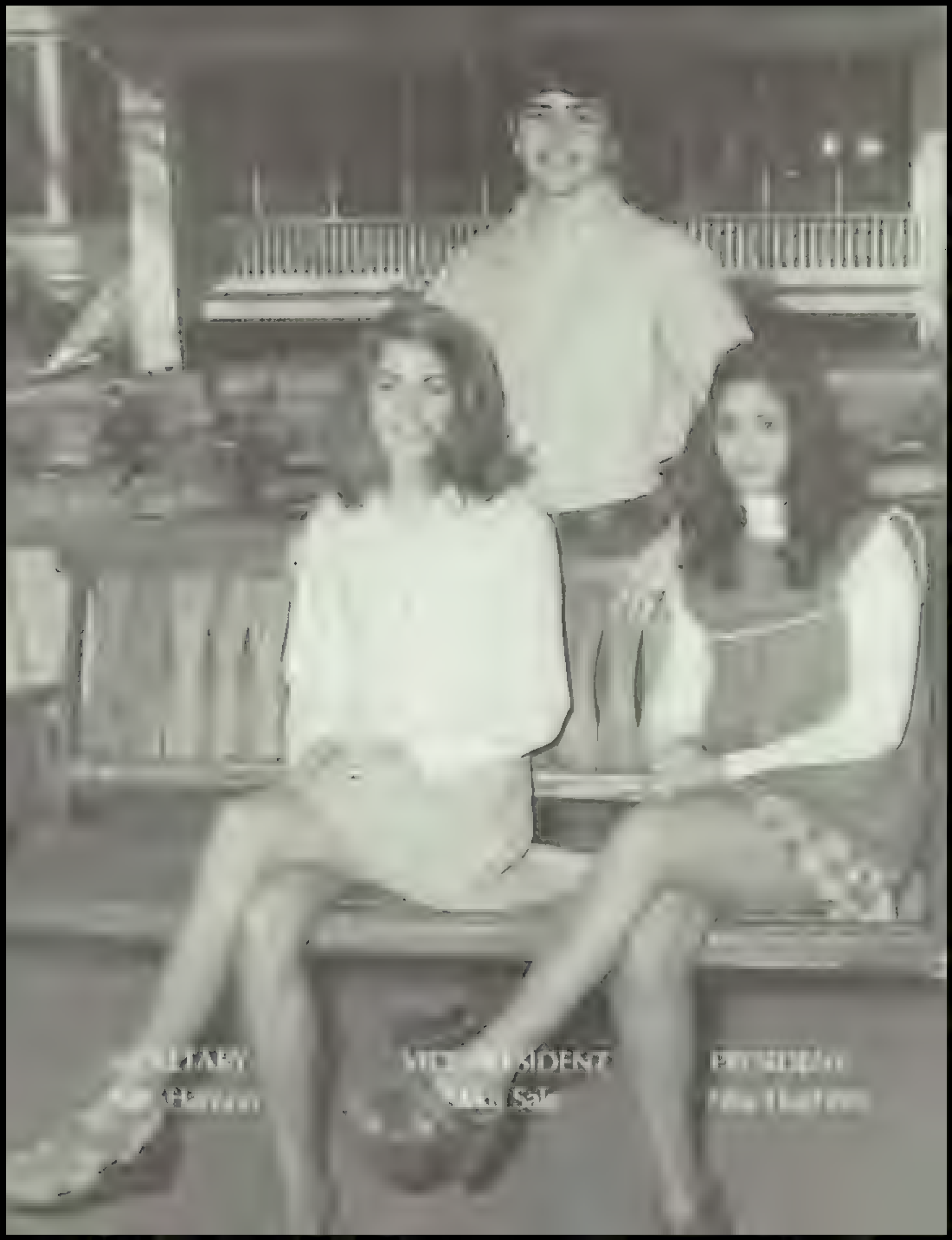
Robert Ryder
Sharon Scruggs

Claiborne Sharp
Mary Simmons

Ginny Smith
Saline Smith



Collecting money from Robert Ryder for a class party was Craig Nash, Treasurer.



VICE PRESIDENT
KYLE HARRIS

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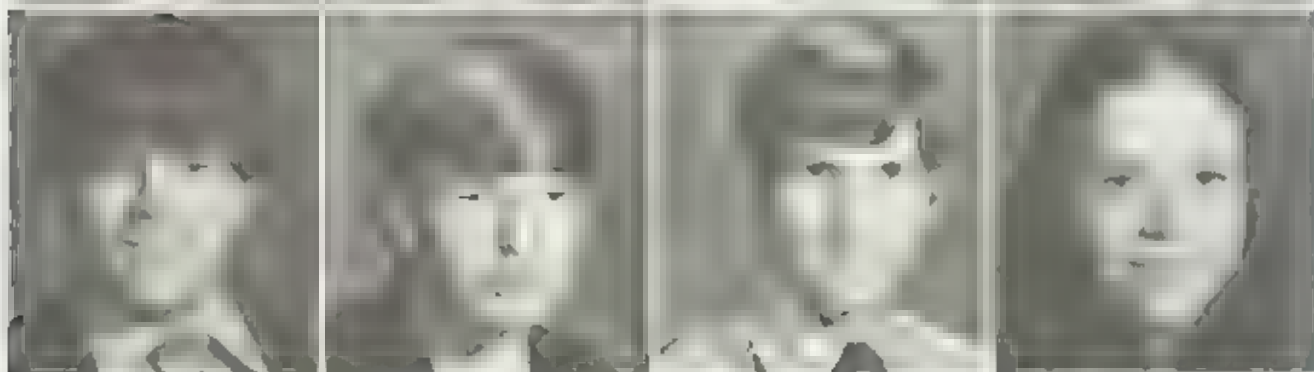
SOPHOMORES



Bill Atherton
Ann Bredtje
Jim Bolch
Susan Lahn



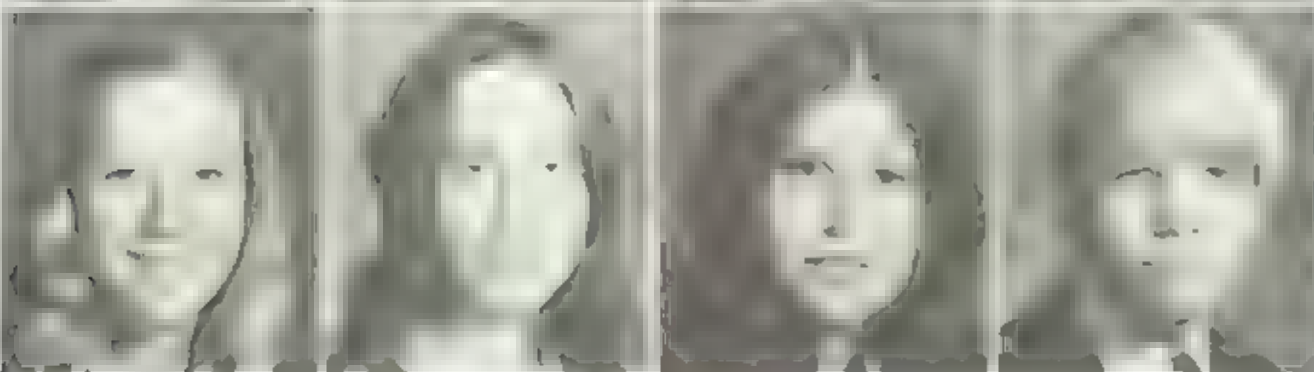
Tig Conger
Kim Hanson
Lisa Hanson
Seth Harbuck



Mike Harmon
Ronnie Heard
David Hendrick
Virginia Hendrick



Shan Herndon
Nita Hughens
Brad Kozak
Jeri Laster



Margaret Lawhon
Nona Leach
Julie Lensk
Scott Lewis

The Sophomore class was rewarded with the Spirit Stick for their large turnout at a basketball game held over the Christmas holidays. Not only did they have fun at pep rallies and games, but they also enjoyed the parties. The first party of the year was held at Mattie Webb's farm. Attendance was excellent despite a cold November night. Hot Wheels Skating Palace was the setting for the second party which was held in December.

SOPHOMORES COMBINE EFFORT AND



Monica Liles
Terri Matheny
Phil Megison
Bill Peavy
Jenny Roberts

Sherri Madden
Bill Mayfield
John Meyer
Cindy Phillips
Brenda Ryder

Quincy Brown
Jay McGregor
Paul Patton
Carol Pittman
Mike Sale



ABOVE: Sophomore gym class activities included jumping rope, as shown by Brenda Ryder. ABOVE RIGHT: Sophomores exhibit their skill in the art of throwing Frisbee. RIGHT: Sophomores enjoy the warmth of a bonfire at Mattie Webb's farm.

ENTHUSIASM FOR A GREAT YEAR



Pam Solter
Joe Spel
Jim Van Hook

Kay Smith
Bowen Stewart
Arlene Webb

Lisa Smith
Jeff Turner
Mary Woods





PRESIDENT
Mike McCann



VICE-PRESIDENT
Alex Collo



SECRETARY
Jonathan Hassock

JUNIORS



Josie Anderton
 Ken Beebe
 Datha Branch
 Debbie Brooks
 Mark Burch

Harnette Carter
 Becky Clark
 Bill Clark
 Mary Cobb
 Kathy Douciere



Outdoor activities comprised much of the Juniors' free time



Skilled skaters enjoyed themselves after home games

CAN'T BEAT JUNIOR SPIRIT



See, you couldn't beat their Spirit!



Junior spirit was shown in more ways than one

Mark Edwards
Charles Rournov
Keitha Fox
Kathy Gay



Jonathan Harbuck
Lake Hearne
Jamie Henry
Renee Hubler



Kim Hughs
Robert Johnston
Emmane Joyner
Mike McCann



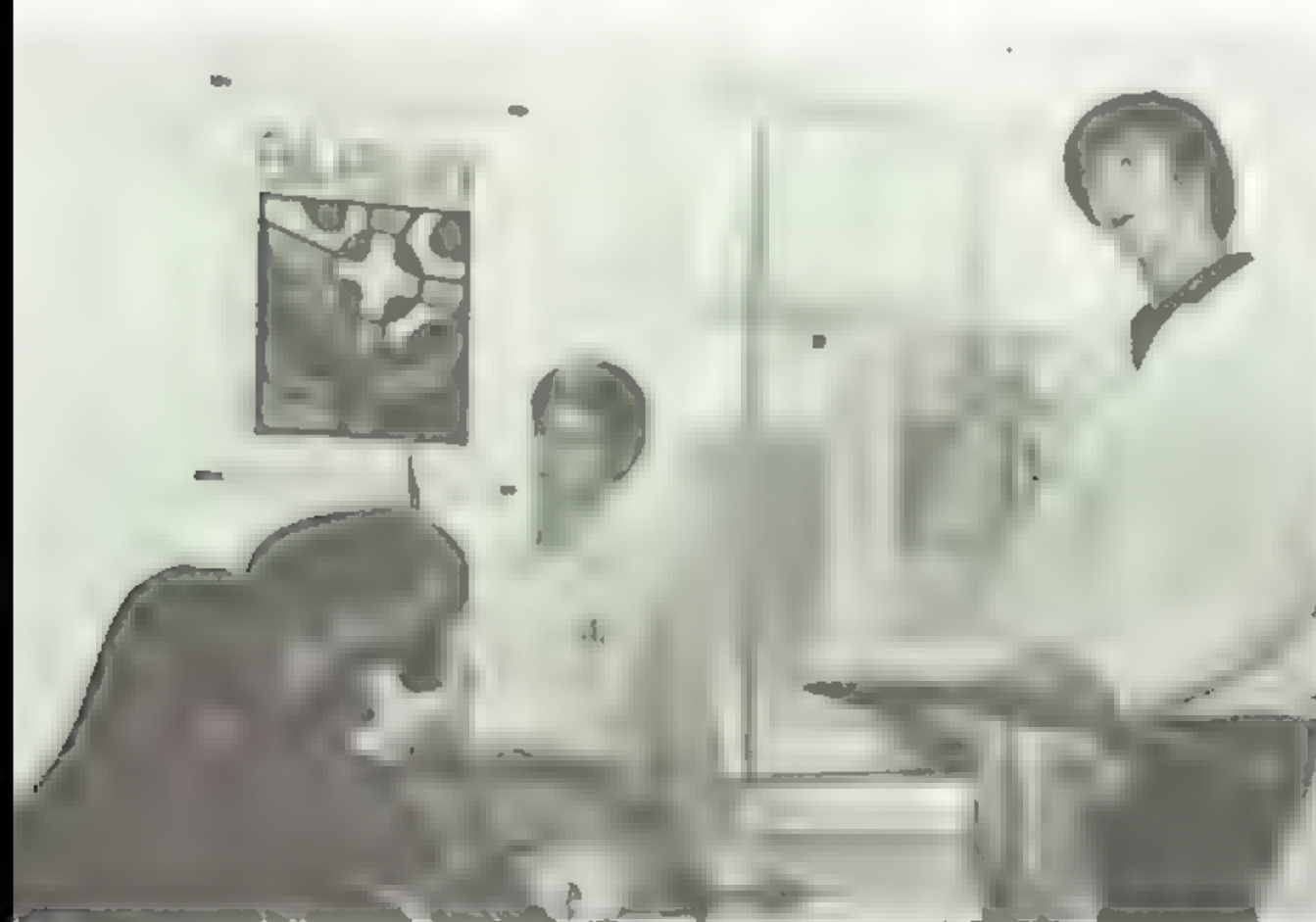
WITH A STICK



Julie McDonald
Marc Menasco
Mark Messinger
Beth Pittman

Paul Poole
Dave Sanditer
Jim Shipp
Bridgett Simms

Alexis Smith
Bubett Waterman
Lisa Weber
Stephanie Young



Class meetings resulted in a new tradition, the Junior-Senior Party

At the beginning of the year Juniors started making plans for college by taking the P.S.A.T. Tests. These were taken in order to give the students an opportunity for a scholarship by advancing into the national finals

While looking toward the future the Juniors were involved in other activities such as ordering and receiving Senior rings

Junior enthusiasm was marked by the fact that they received the Spirit Stick more times than any other class. This spirit continued on after many of the games when students met to go ice skating.

The Junior year was also highlighted by class parties. A Valentine's party was held at Picadilly after which they gathered at Mike McCann's house. The school year was topped off when Juniors gave a party for the departing Seniors.



JOHN J. JONES
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SENIORS



Barbara Elizabeth Allums—Chapel Council Secretary 71-72, President 72-73, Teacher Aide 70-71

Easter Bunny Beebe—Cheerleader 71-73; PATRIARCH Staff 70-72, Editor 72-73; Teacher Aide 71-72, Junior Favorite; "Z" Club 70-73, Junior Board Member; Girl's State Delegate; Class Vice-President 70-71, Secretary-Treasurer 72-73

Gaylon Fay Braselton—Student Council 71-73, Vice-President 72-73; PATRIARCH Staff 71-73, Boy's State Delegate; Outstanding Citizenship Award 71-72; Mr PATRIARCH 72-73.



Cynthia Ellen Brown—Tennis Team 70-73; Cheerleader 71-72, Head Cheerleader 72-73, Student Council 70-72, Senior Class Favorite; "Z" Club 70-73, President 72-73

Mary Carolyn Brown—Tennis Team 70-73, Pep Squad President 71-72; Cheerleader 72-73; Student Council Secretary 71-73, Senior Class Favorite; "Z" Club 70-73, Vice-President 71-72; Girl's State Delegate; Miss PATRIARCH 71-72

John William Campbell—Golf Team 71-72; PATRIARCH Staff 70-71; LIBERTY BELL Staff 72-73; Office Assistant 72-73; Chapel Council President 71-72



William Forman Cook—Basketball Team 71-72, Manager 72-73; Office Assistant 72-73

John Robert Copp—Tennis Team 70-71, Baseball Team 71-72

Connie Cosse—Office Assistant 70-71; Teacher Aide 72-73



Penny Ellen Crain—Teacher Aide 72-73; Chapel Council 71-72

Ronaki Lynn Crook—Soccer Team 70-73

Donna Dutton—Teacher Aide 71-73

"THOSE WERE

Polly Fleming—Pep Squad 71-72; PATRIARCH Staff 70-73; Office Assistant 70-73; "Z" Club 71-73.

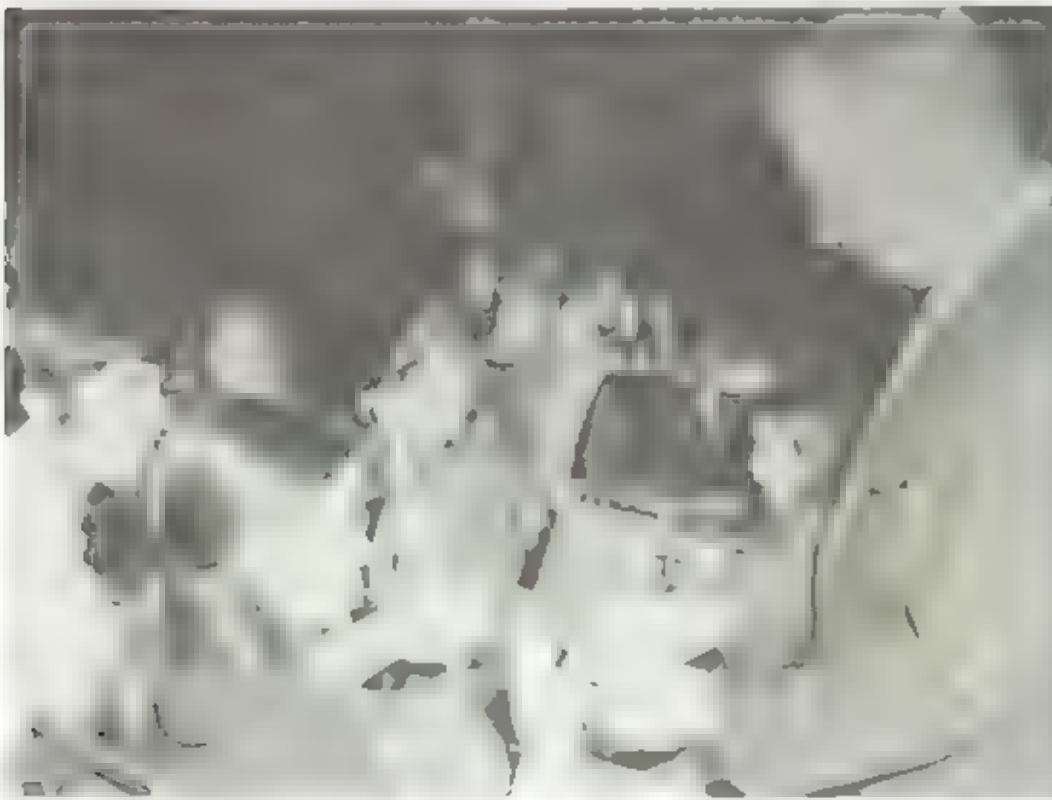
Ned Browning Foster—Soccer Team 70-73, Most Valuable Player 70-71, Student Council 70-72, Parliamentarian 71-72; PATRIARCH Staff 70-73, LIBERTY BELL Staff 71-72; Office Assistant 72-73; Teacher Aide 72-73, Junior Class Favorite, Class Vice-President 70-71, President 72-73; Chapel Council 71-72

Robert Smith Hendrick—Office Assistant 70-71

Mark Alan Hightower—Basketball Team 71-72; Soccer Team 70-71; Golf 71-73; Teacher Aide 70-71, 72-73; Class President 71-72; Baseball Team 71-73

Thomas Lafayette Huddleston—Baseball Team 71-72, Soccer Team 70-73, Most Valuable Player 71-72, Tennis Team 70-71; Teacher Aide 70-73; Sophomore Class Favorite, Chapel Council 71-72

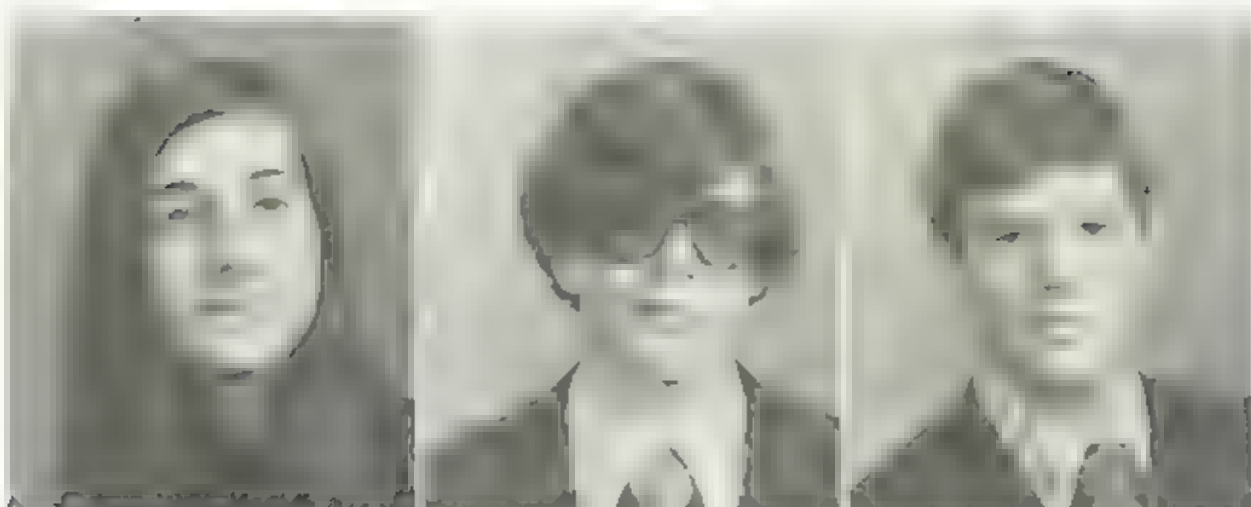
Charles Elgin Hunter—Basketball Team 71-73



ABOVE: Receiving their senior rings began a great final year for the Class of '73
RIGHT: Checking out was a favorite senior pastime



THE DAYS"



Harriet Anne Hynes—Office Assistant 70-71, Teacher Aide 72-73

Edward Stephen Isgett—Soccer Team 70-72; Teacher Aide 72-73

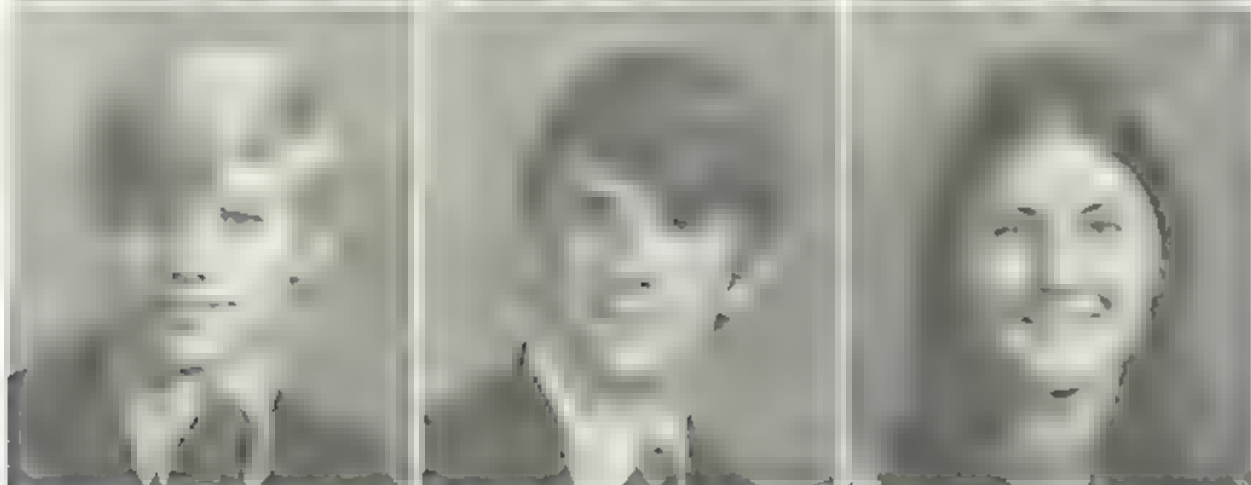
William Hutchinson Jackson Jr.—Soccer Team 71-73



Virginia Blanche Liles—Tennis Team 70-71; Pep Squad 71-72, President 72-73; Office Assistant 71-73; "Z" Club 70-73, Girl's State Alternate; Chapel Council 71-73, CODAC 71-72, Miss PATRIARCH 72-73

Susan Elaine Lockridge—Pep Squad 71-72; Cheerleader 72-73; Teacher Aide 72-73; "Z" Club 71-73; Chapel Council 71-73, Vice-President 72-73

Nancy Lee Madden—Pep Squad 71-73, Student Council 72-73; Office Assistant 71-73; "Z" Club 72-73, Class Vice-President 71-72; Chapel Council 71-73, Secretary-Treasurer 72-73, CODAC 71-72



Fairmount White McCullough—Soccer Team 70-73, Student Council Treasurer 71-72, President 72-73, Senior Class Favorite, Class President 70-71, Vice-President 72-73

John Wilson Porter—Soccer Team 70-72; Chapel Council 72-73

Martha Tillie Prosser



Tryouts were first step in production of the Talent Show

SENIORS SPOOKED SHAKEY'S



ABOVE: During a game of Spin-the-Bottle, Mark Hightower intrudes on Fred Ratzburg and Miss Dyer. RIGHT: Seniors plan early for talent show in March



Fred Ratzburg--Soccer Team 71-72

Cheryl Gaye Ryder--"Z" Club 72-73

John Allen Smith--Basketball Team 71-73; Golf Team 71-72; Teacher Aide 70-71; Baseball Team 71-72



Susan Jennings Sproull--Tennis Team 70-73; Pep Squad 71-73; Office Assistant 72-73; Teacher Aide 70-71, 72-73; "Z" Club 72-73; Chapel Council 70-73.

Janell Stevens--Office Assistant 70-71; Teacher Aide 72-73

Ernest Hamilton Turner--Soccer Team 70-73



ON HALLOWEEN



Carl Byron Vaughn—Soccer Team 71-73; Tennis Team 70-72; Teacher Aide 72-73.

Tom Stotts Wailes—Baseball Team 71-72; Soccer Team 70-73; Student Council 72-73

John Kennon Watts



John Brent Weston—Tennis Team 70-73, LIBERTY BELL Staff 72-73, Teacher Aide 72-73.

Melinda Ann Wimberly—Teacher Aide 72-73.

Ray Oden Youngblood—Chapel Council 71-73



"We're the best as you can see, we are Seniors '73." This was descriptive of the spirit that made the seniors the first winners of the Spint Stick.

This spirit was brought into the parties of the senior class. For Halloween, they all dressed up in costumes and the girls took the boys to eat at Shakey's. After eating pizza, they went to the Beebe's where they danced and played Spin-the-Bottle. The Christmas party was held at the Barn Dinner Theater on December 13. There the seniors enjoyed the play *Dames at Sea* as well as a delicious meal.

A trip to Ruston in November to watch the Shakespearean play, *As You Like It*, mixed education with a good time. After many hours of hard work, the seniors rounded out the year with the talent show, "Those Were the Days."

Dinner at the Barn, a growing tradition for the senior Christmas party, was enjoyed by members of the Class of '73



Song: Let It Be

Flower: Long Stemmed Red Rose



Viewed: I am one, but I am one,

I cannot do everything, but I can do something;

And what I can do and should do,

By the grace of God I will do.

FRESHMEN FAVORITES



Robert Ryder

Janice Wilson

SOPHOMORE FAVORITES



Paul Patton

Mary Woods

JUNIOR FAVORITES



Debbie Brooks

Jim Shipp

SENIOR FAVORITES



Carolyn Brown

Ellen Brown

Monte McCullough

MR. AND MISS PATRIARCH



Bambi Liles

Gaylon Braselton

Mr. and Miss Patriarch

This year's new yearbook staff at First Baptist School is the regular Chamberlain staff. Mr. and Miss Patriarch were chosen by the yearbook staff. It was felt that the position of Mr. and Miss Patriarch should be given at honor that is judged by scholastic achievement and extracurricular activities, not by popularity alone.



Miss Patriarch

Bambi has been doing much to benefit her Baptist School. She was active in the Pop Squad in 11th grade and served as president her senior year.

Bambi was a teacher aide in the eleventh grade and was an office worker for three years.

During her three years at First Baptist Bambi has put both time and effort into "2nd Club," a girls' group in their dedicated service to the community.

This year a member of the team from her sophomore year, EDDA, her junior year, the Chapel Council in the eleventh and twelfth grades and the L. Gals' Team alternate her senior year. Bambi also has received the Outstanding Citizenship Award for 1972-73.

Mr. Patriarch

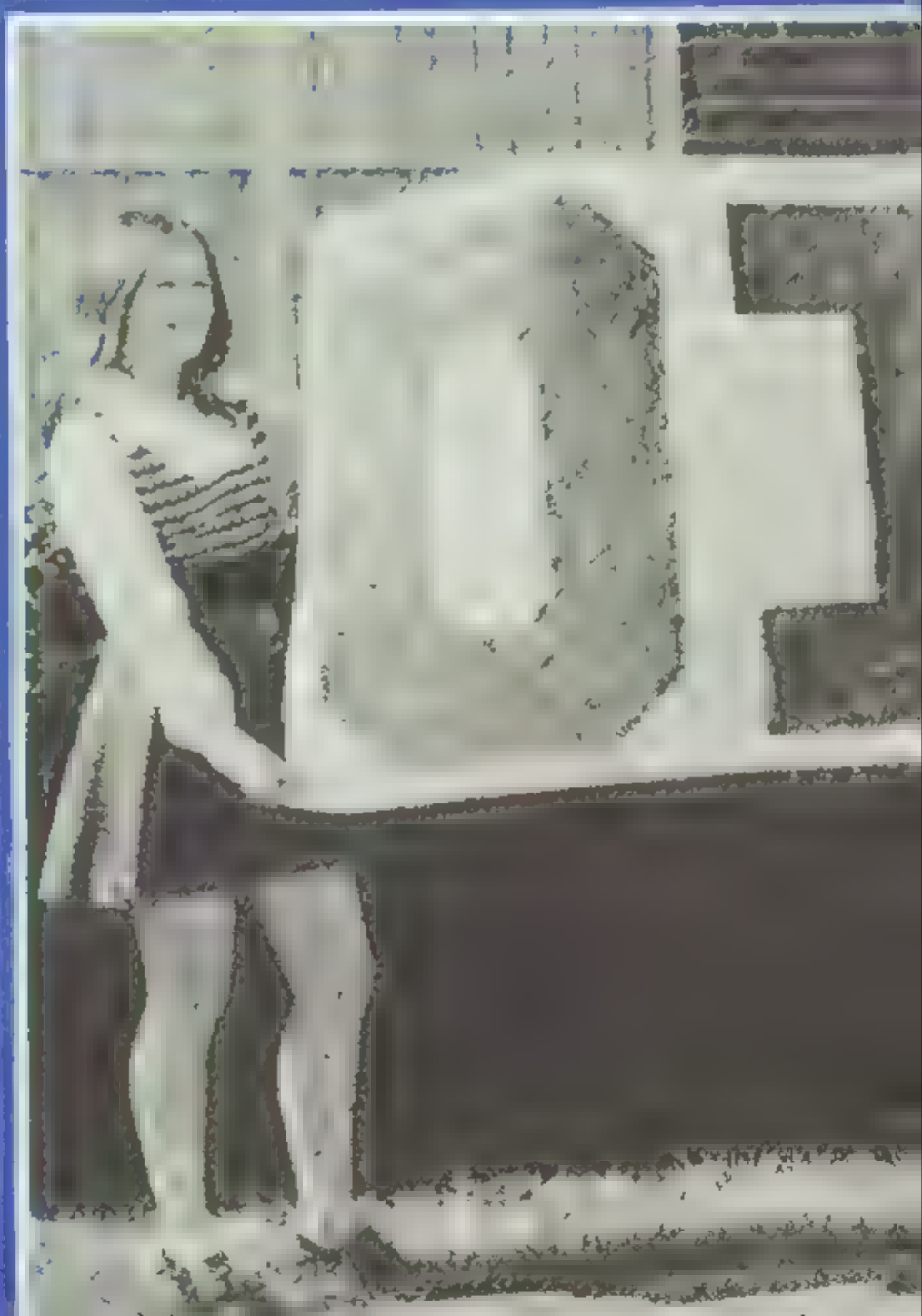
Gaylon has been doing much to benefit his school with his participation in various activities. He was chosen for the position of Mr. Patriarch for the Student Council. Gaylon was Secretary in his junior year and as a senior he was elected vice-president.

Gaylon's talents were well shown on the basketball team. His hard work and team spirit made him the 1972 and 1973 yearbook.

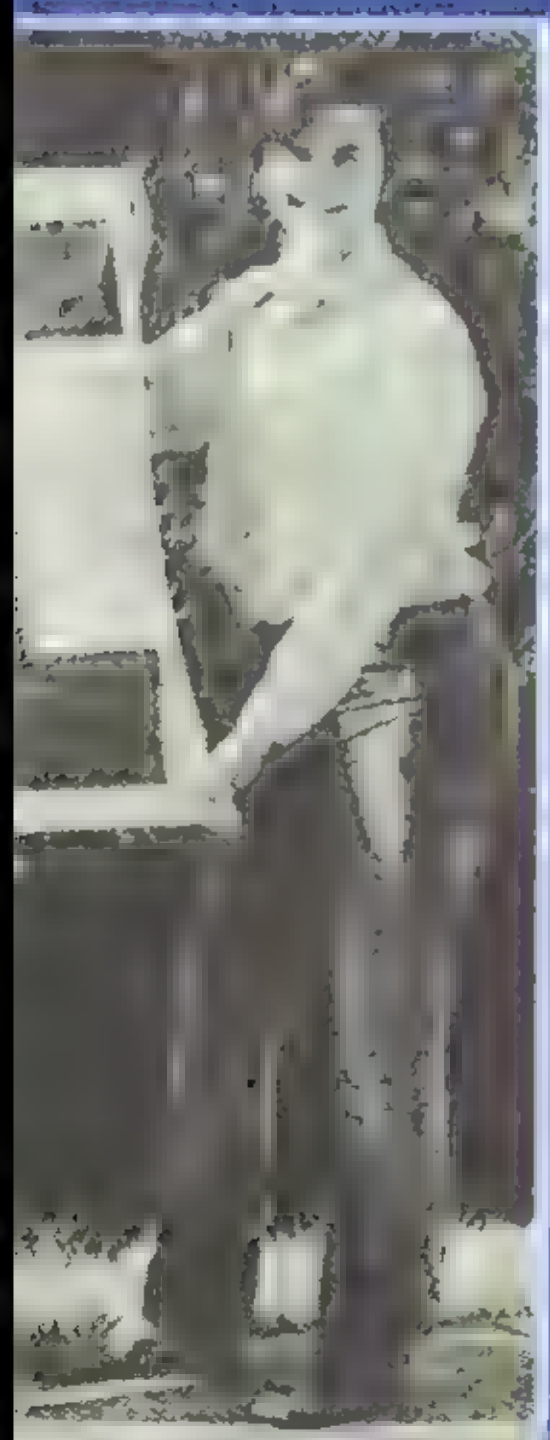
This year Mr. Patriarch was also a member of the team where he earned on the Police Job.

In the 1972-73 school year, Gaylon received the Outstanding Citizenship Award for his service to the community as well as the school.





DOING



STUDENT COUNCIL MAINTAINED

Much progress was made by the 1972-73 Student Council. The group's excellent leadership and determination helped them successfully complete each of their projects. The sale of Patriot T-Shirts and key chains helped raise money for the school besides boosting spirit.

A copy of the school constitution was written on parchment by a member of the council. It will be on display for the student body in the school library.

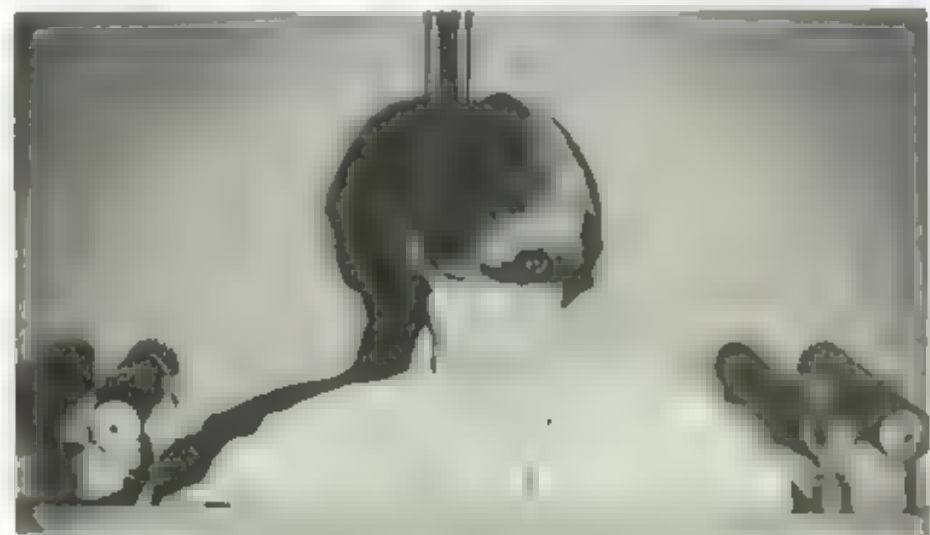
Involvement in chapel services, sponsoring pep rallies, dusting erasers for teachers, and selling parking lot stickers showed interest in the many facets of our school life.



Student Council salesmen Kim Hanson and Kathleen Anderton made profits on Patriot key chains.

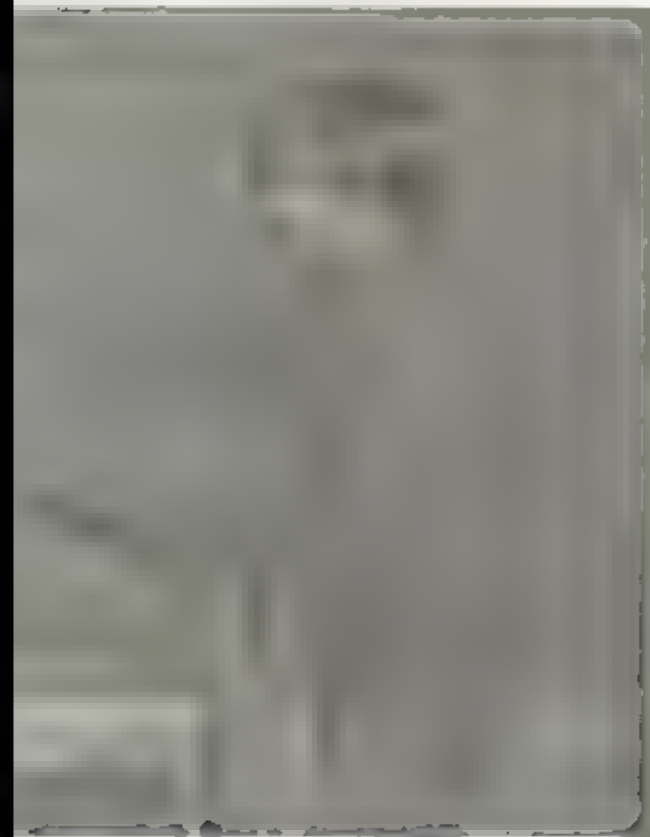


Discussing the use of voting machines were Paul Poole, Parhamonte McCullough, President.



Adding to the spiritual atmosphere of First Baptist was Jim Shipp, Chaplain.

HIGH GOALS FOR '72-73



mentarian, Carolyn Brown, Secretary, and



The project of selling school shirts was undertaken by Tom Wales, Nancy Madden, and Kathy Gay.



Signing the constitution are Jon Fairbuck, Treasurer, and Caylon Braseton, Vice President.



Greatly appreciated by the teachers was the service of dusting erasers. Bill Peavy and Ken Beebe became more popular with teachers because of their help.

CHAPEL REACHES

The Chapel Council in reaching out to students provided a variety of excellent speakers for chapel. Older students were among speakers for elementary chapels. Preceding each High School chapel was a prayer and a Bible reading by a student and a teacher. Students also participated by telling of summer camps, of Explo '72, and by presenting banners at the Christmas Chapel. Sharing experiences with the school were an astronaut, an ex-convict, a nurse from Vietnam, and a weightlifting group. Other special chapels were at Thanksgiving, when the Chapel Council presented a play, and at Easter, when elementary grades brought flowers for the cross.



STUDENTS



FIRST ROW Mr. Mabry, sponsor, Shan Herndon, Nancy Madden, Nena Leach, Terri Matheny, Emilee Joyner, Lisa Smith, Monica Ellis. SECOND ROW Paul Poole, Kay Smith, Amber Ellis, Susan Sproul, Kim Hansen, Lisa Hanson, Keitha Fox, Kim Hughes, Mark Messinger. THIRD ROW Ray Yearghood, Pam Seiber, Mary Woods, Josie Anderson, Betsy Allums, Julie Liesk, Susan Lockridge, John Porter.



The elementary grades choir, sponsored and directed by Mrs. Moore, participated in several chapels throughout the year.

LIBERTY BELL INFORMED

The Liberty Bell was published monthly to inform Patriots of local and school activities. "The Yapper", a gossip column, was a new and interesting addition written by the sponsor, Coach Duren.

To interest students in state and national politics, the paper held mock elections for governor and president.

Younger Patriots were involved in a coloring contest promoted by the newspaper. The winners were Eleanor Miller in the first grade and Karen Scott in the second grade.



Staff: John Weston, Nita Hughens, John Campbell, Kathy Douclere, Kim Hanson, Lisa Hanson, Allison Stage, Susan Hoskins. Not Pictured: Brenda Ryder, Kay Smith, Nancy Carter



PATRIOTS



STANDING Editors Paul Poole, Kim Hughens sponsor Coach Duren, Emilane Joyner Marc Menasco SEATED Editors Monica Lies Ann Beebe, Lisa Weber

"Z" CLUB SERVICE SPANS

The "Z" Club profitted by bake sales dunnig lunch and the sale of school book bags.

The members rendered community services by visiting patients in the Olive Street Nursing Home and taking snacks to some of the local fire-houses. "Z"-Clubbers acted as guides for the parents on Back-to-School Night.

A major event of the school year was the Little Sister Party. This highlighted three months of notes and presents left in the lockers of new members by their secret Big Sisters.

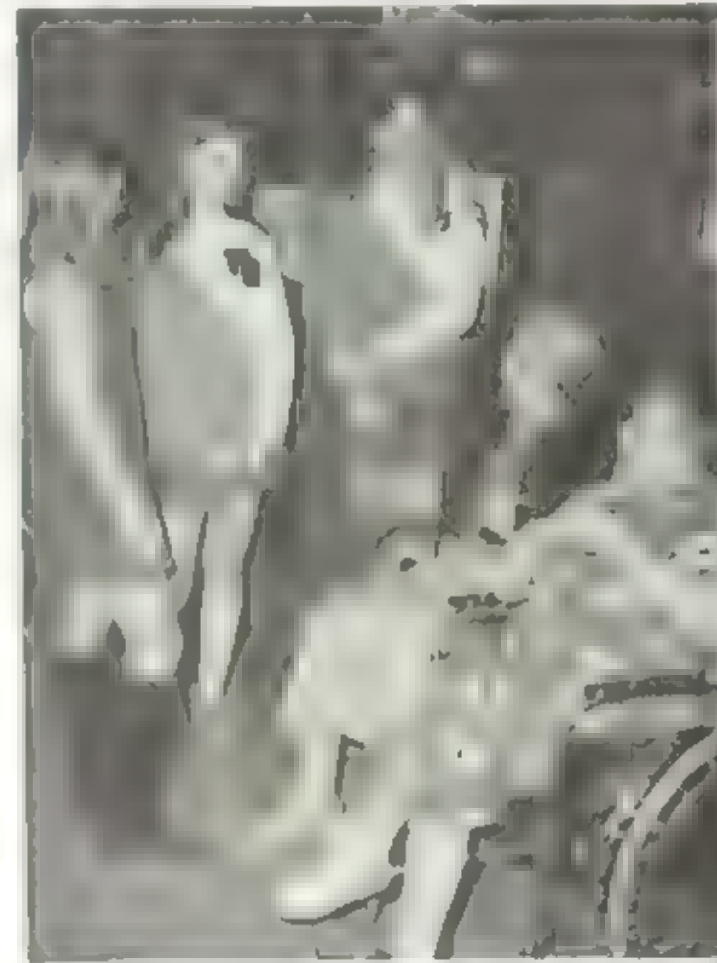
For Valentine's Day "Z" Club sponsored "Be Mine Time." Students purchased carnations of different colors depending on the message they wanted to send, and on Valentine's Day the Flowers were delivered to their friends and sweethearts.



Planning the services for the club were Margaret Lawhon, Sophomore Board Member, Emilee Boyner, Vice-President; Josie Anderton, Service Chairman; Julie McDonald, Junior Board Member; Carolyn Brown, Senior Board Member, Harriette Carter, Secretary; Mary Cobb, Treasurer; Ellen Brown, President; and Mrs. Schulman, Sponsor, who attended board meetings throughout the year.

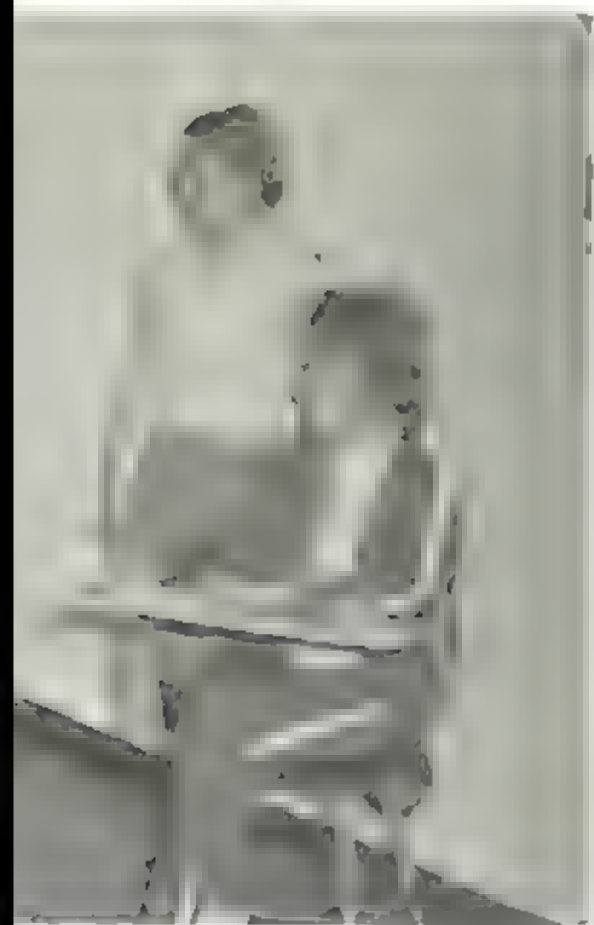


Constructing paper Christmas trees to decorate the nursing home were Robetta Waterman, Kathy Douciere, Debbie Brooks, Mattie Lou Webb, and Alexis Smith.



Visiting with patients at the nursing home were Renee Huber, Nan Hemdon, and Mary Woods.

COMMUNITY



While working at the St. Vincent's Toy Workshop, Polly Fleming, Susan Sproull, and Beth Pittman shared Christmas joy with others



Revealing their identities to each other at the Little Sister Party were Cheryl Ryder, Susan Lockridge, Bunny Beebe, Nancy Madden, Pam Selber, and Bambi Liles.

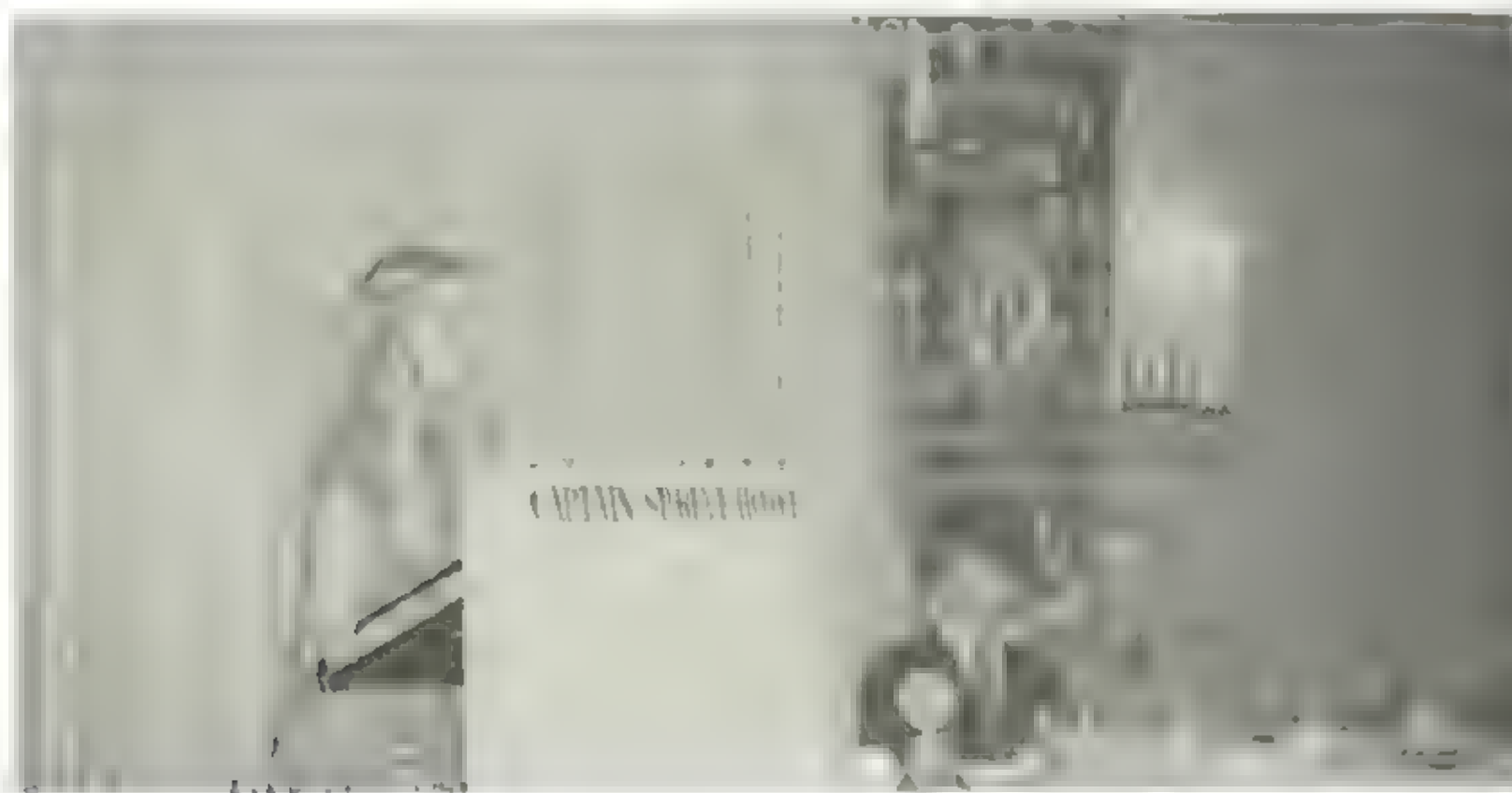
THREE ATTENDED 51st STATE

During the 1971-72 school-year, three Juniors were selected to attend a mythical fifty-first state at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge. Bunny Beebe and Carolyn Brown were delegates to Louisiana Girls' State while Gaylon Braselton attended Louisiana Boys' State. The eight days of hard work, fun, and involvement in an educational program were designed to instruct youth in the duties and responsibilities of American citizenship. The entire program was organized and sponsored by the American Legion.

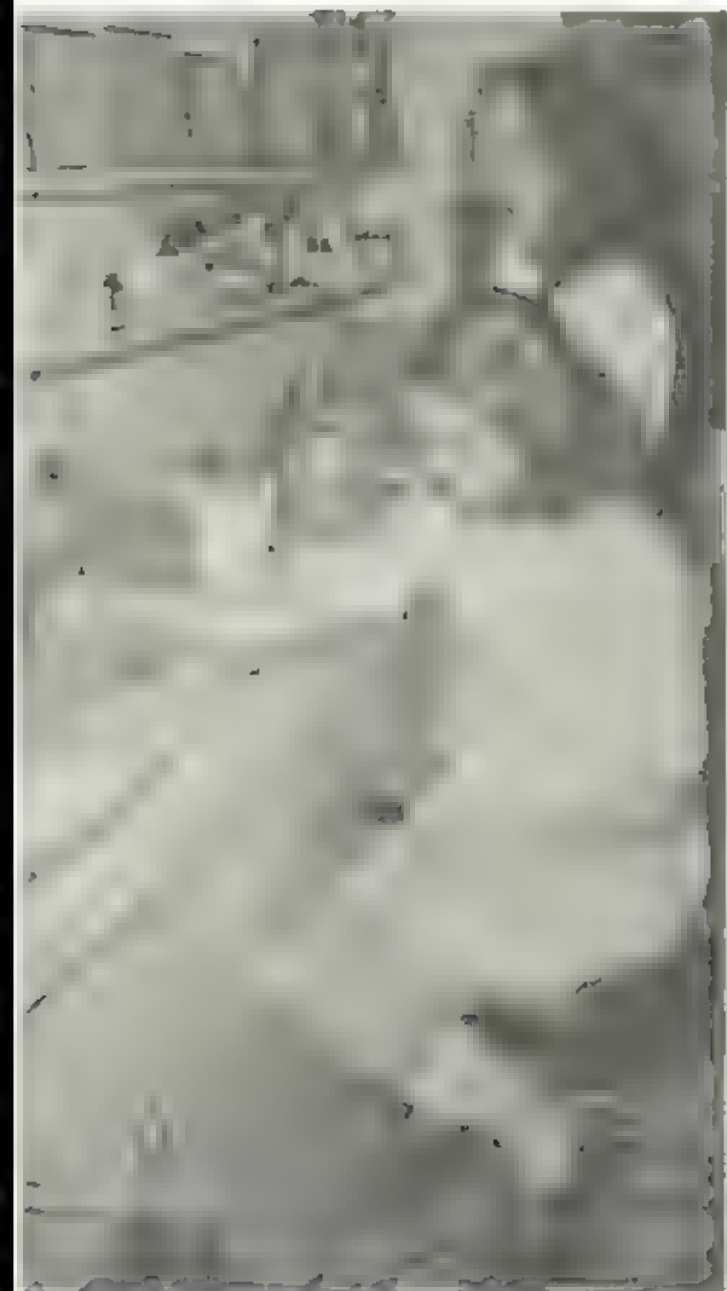
The delegates organized their own city, parish, and state governments and found themselves performing exactly the same duties as actual office-holders. Bunny was elected to the State House of Representatives and was selected as the Outstanding Representative at Girls' State. Carolyn served as City Health Officer while Gaylon was elected to his Parish Police Jury. Bunny and Gaylon were sponsored by the Shreveport Optimist Club while Carolyn was sponsored by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wallace Brown.



RIGHT Gaylon Braselton, Carolyn Brown, Bunny Beebe. BELOW: Bunny Beebe and Gaylon Braselton, accompanied by Mr. Duncan, attended a luncheon of the Shreveport Optimist Club and spoke about their impressions of Louisiana Girls' and Boys' State.



JUNIOR MEDICAL LEAGUE



Junior Medical League was organized to provide information for students interested in the medical field. A file on health careers was started in the library by Mrs. Wilkins, sponsor. Members participated in volunteer work at Willis Knighton Hospital preparing food trays, working in the lab, and admitting patients.

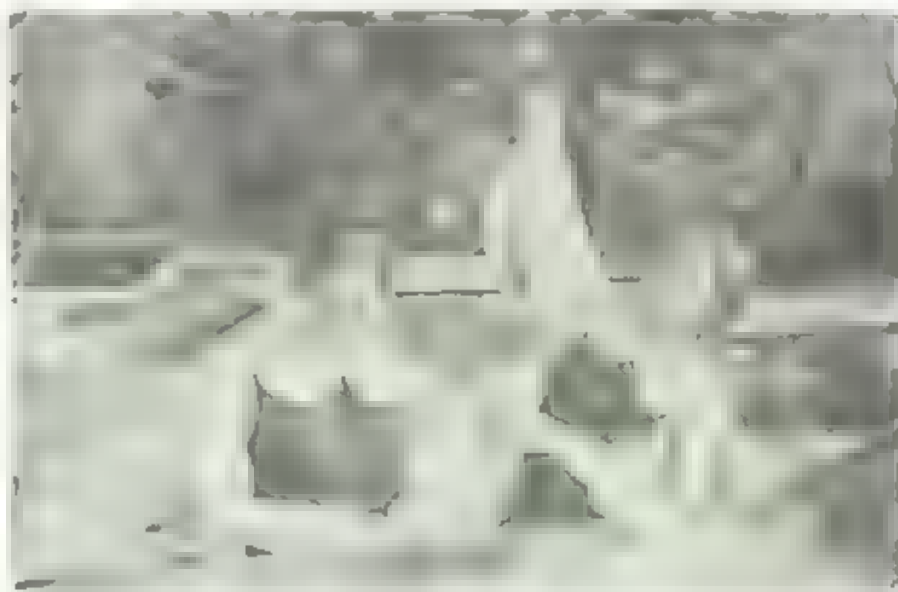
FRONT ROW: Lisa Hanson, Lake Heame
SECOND ROW: Kim Hanson, Kathy Gay, Julie Lensk
THIRD ROW: Quincy Lowery, Allison Stage, Kay Smith
FOURTH ROW: Sherri Madden, Shan Herndon, Carol Pittman

SPIRIT WAS



THE NAME OF THE GAME

Yes, Spint was the name of the game for the 1972-73 cheerleaders. After attending S.M.U. cheerleading camp each cheerleader returned home with a superior ribbon and the challenge to promote the Patriots' Spirit to a new high! Attending Spint breakfasts, giving the players snacks before leaving for out-of-town games, decorating the students cars and giving the student body some good laughs at pep rallies were all a part of their year. However, their most important activity was leading the enthusiastic fans through the Patriots' exciting schedule.



Harriette Carter
Alexis Smith

Bunny Beebe
Susan Lockridge

Ellen Brown
Carolyn Brown

PATRIETTES PROMOTED SPIRIT

Only in its second year, the Pep Squad showed qualities of an organized and enthusiastic group. The girls showed interest in the Patriot teams whether the competition was at home or out of town. The Pep Squad gave of its time and energy to make banners, learn routines, and sell ribbons. During the year, Patriettes sponsored spirit breakfasts before games, each one boosting the spirit of players and fans.

The leaders attended pep squad camp at Southern Methodist University over the summer.

The year was highlighted by bus trips to Alexandria, Natchitoches, and Oklahoma City for basketball games. The year proved to be successful and rewarding for the Patriettes.



The Pep Squad performed a special routine for the student body.



FIRST ROW: J. Loe, K. Anderton, N. Carter, S. Scruggs, B. Liles, M. Cobb, N. Madden, squad leader, K. Hanson, M. Liles, Squad leader, N. Crook, S. Smith. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Watson, sponsor, J. Wilson, G. Smith, S. Hoskins, C. Phillips, N. Hughes, K. Douciere, K. Hughes, E. Joyner, D. Brooks, B. Pittman, A. Stage, L. Smith. THIRD ROW: K. Smith, T. Matheny, C. Pittman, M. Woods, S. Herndon, J. Anderton, B. Lockridge, C. Mayo, L. Hanson, J. Leisk, J. Roberts, S. Sproull, S. Madden. Not Pictured: M. Lawhon.

AND PARTICIPATION



Many attractive banners were used to show spirit at basketball games and pep rallies. Taping up a banner are Bambit Les, President, Mary Cobb, Vice-President, and Kim Hanson, Secretary-Treasurer.



PATRIARCH STAFF IS



Mrs. Watson, Sponsor; Mrs. Kaliff, Photographer; Mark Menasco, Photographer; Margaret Lawhon, Kim Hughes, Mary Cobb, Polly Fleming, Caylon Brasellon, June McDonald, Ned Foster, Bowen Stewart, Harriette Carter, Assistant Editor, Bunny Beebe, Editor. Not Pictured: Jim Bolch, Photographer.



BOUND FOR GLORY

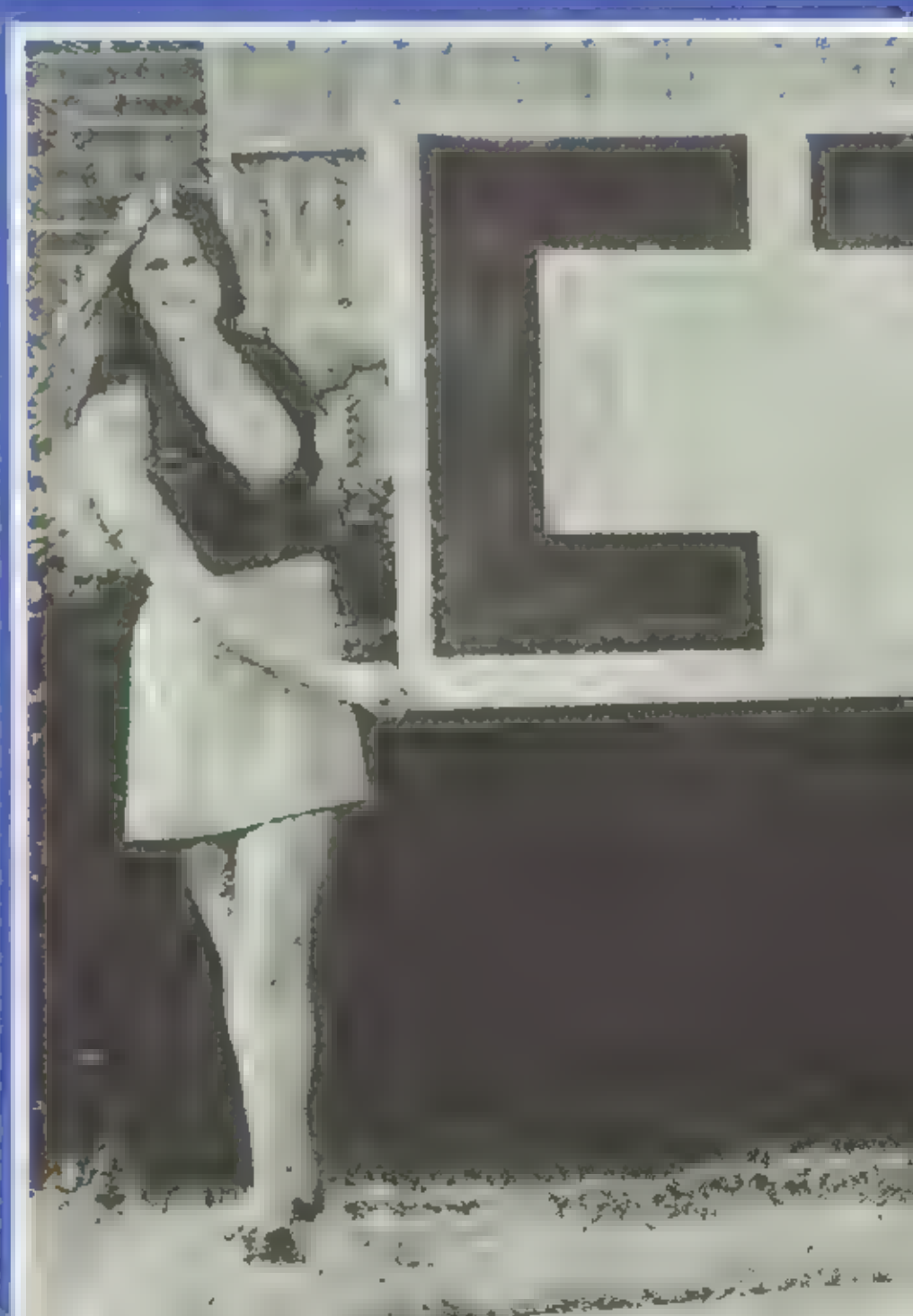


To insure an outstanding yearbook, this year's PATRIARCH Staff combined hard work with fun. Actual work began before school started. Several members of the staff, including Mrs. Watson, attended yearbook camp in Biloxi, Mississippi during June.

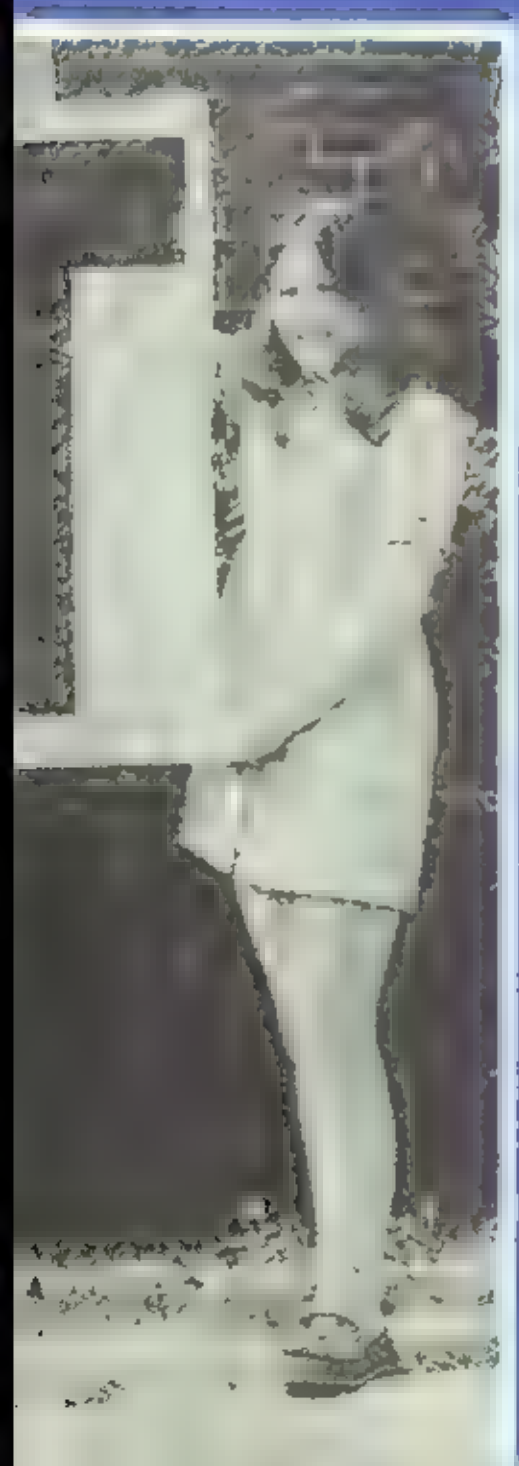
The book progressed at the Wednesday meetings and at night workshops, and as it grew so did the close friendships among the staff. Each member's birthday was celebrated with coke and cakes in the yearbook room during lunch. The Christmas party at Pizza Inn gave everyone a chance to exchange gifts and strengthened the bonds among the staff. When the final deadline drew near, a slumber workshop solved the problem of not having enough time to work.

With the help of understanding people such as Mrs. Turley and Mr. Van Bibber even hard work was made fun, and after the entire book was sent in, the staff celebrated with dinner at Smith's.

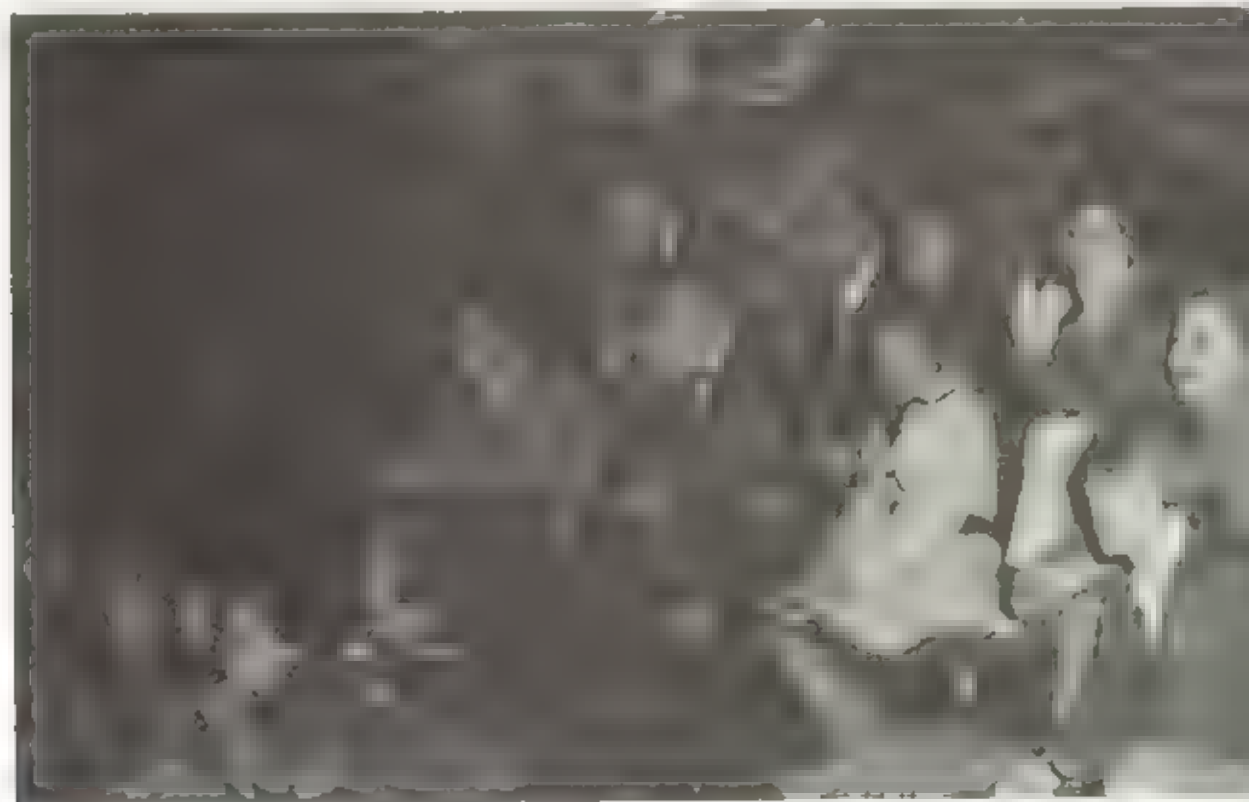
Being a member of the PATRIARCH Staff involves many hours of frustration and hard work, but the friendships that are made and the rewarding experiences outweigh everything.



ACTING



BASKETBALL SPIRIT RISES HIGH





PATRIOTS CAPTURE FRIENDSHIP TOURNAMENT CROWN

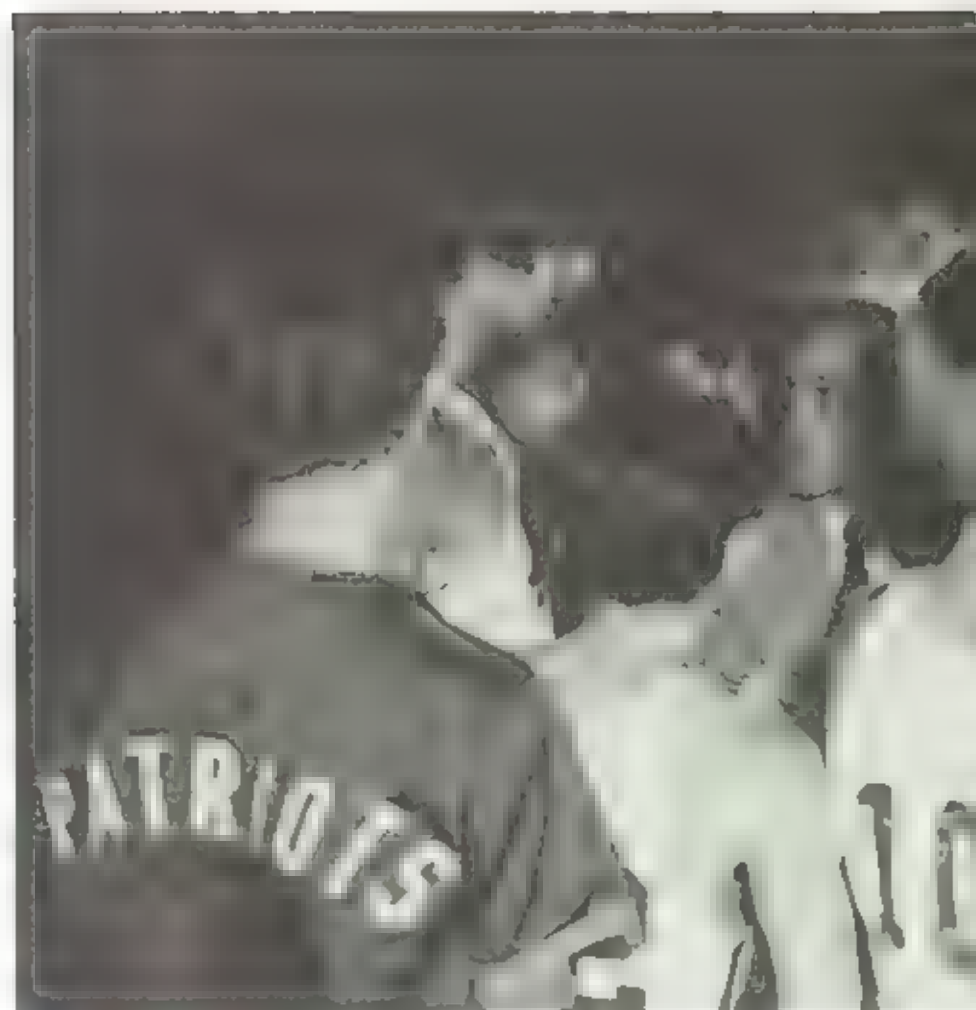
The First Baptist Patriots' Basketball Team in their second year of varsity competition embarked on possibly the toughest schedule in the private school association. The Patriots gained membership in the Louisiana Independent School Athletic Association shortly after the season began and will be eligible for state championship honors next year.

With the loyal support of students, faculty, and parents, the Patriots finished the season with a commendable 17-10 record, plus a 7-4 record in tournament games. Their opponents included three of the top four teams in the LISA-A organization plus three other teams which finished first or second in their respective districts.

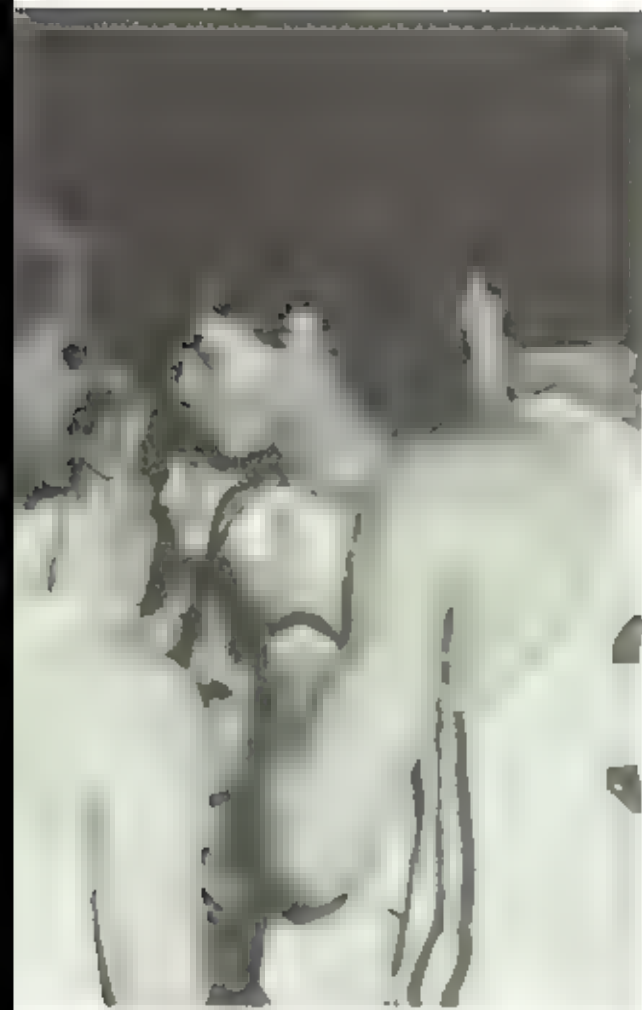
Led by the scoring and rebounding of 6'5" Junior Mike McCann and the fine play of seniors John Smith, Charles Hunter, and Mark Hightower, the Patriots have had an outstanding season. The team competed in four invitational tournaments during the year, winning the Friendship Tournament, taking second place in the Trinity Heights Invitational, and finishing fourth in the tough Riverdale Christmas Tournament.

Several players won individual honors this year. In the Friendship Tournament Mike McCann, John Smith, and Paul Patton were selected for the all tournament team while Charles Hunter and Paul Patton were selected to the Trinity Heights all tournament team. McCann was also voted to the all tournament team at the Riverdale Tournament.

Although the Patriots have had a very good year, they hope this is only the beginning of the road to the State Championship.



F.B.S.	OPP.
65 .. Caddo Community	52
89 .. Friendship Acad	43
55 .. Glenbrook School	56
86 .. Central School	65
72 .. South Rapides	71
75 .. Southside Baptist	42
62 .. Plain Dealing Academy	64
70 .. Friendship Academy	43
74 .. Riverdale Academy	52
78 .. Natchitoches	59
59 .. Friendship Academy	27
81 .. Southland Academy	100
76 .. Glenbrook Academy	53
53 .. Bossier Academy	48
47 .. Trinity Heights	42
48 .. Trinity Heights	69
89 .. Bossier Academy	67
63 .. Plain Dealing	61
108 .. Southside Baptist	31
65 .. Baptist Christian	67
73 .. Riverdale Academy	58
57 .. Trinity Heights	62
46 .. Plain Dealing Academy	50
68 .. Bossier Academy	48
58 .. Heritage Hall (Okla. City, Okla.)	75
53 .. St. Mary's (Okla. City, Okla.)	60
59 .. Cedar Creek	62



KNEELING: Milton Burke, Assistant Coach, Leon Shaw, Head Coach, Bill Cook, Manager. STANDING: Jeff Hamm, Don Greer, Mark Hightower, Craig Nash, Dave Sanditer, David Hendrick, Mike McCann, Charles Hunter, Clement Fox, Mark Burkh, Phil Megison, John Smith, Layton Britt, Lee Murdock, Paul Patton.

PATRIOTS CLINCH FIRST WINNING SEASON



		F.B.S.
LeTourneau College (Longview).....	4	2
Jesuit.....	4	3
Lake Highlands (Dallas).....	0	1
W.T. White (Dallas).....	0	2
Byrd.....	0	2
Gaelic Soccer Club.....	1	4
Ft. Worth Country Day (Ft. Worth).....	1	0
Innty Valley.....	5	4
Byrd.....	1	7
Byrd.....	0	5



The Patriots clinched their first winning season in three years of play by defeating six of the ten teams in their schedule. The record included wins over teams both at home and in the Dallas-Ft. Worth area. In October the Patriots traveled to Longview where they played their season opener with LeTourneau College. After a hard fight, they were outscored by two goals; the game ended in a 4-2 victory for the Texans. The next series played away from home was a double header in Dallas in November. The Patriots squared off against W. T. White High School in the first game and neatly put them away by a score of 2-0, giving our team their season's first win. The second win came later that day as the eleven outlasted Lake Highlands for a 1-0 victory. An overnight trip to Ft. Worth in December proved disastrous as the Patriots let two victories slip from their grasp. Ft. Worth Country Day squeezed past them by a score of 1-0 followed by a scoring battle the next day against Trinity Valley, that ended 5-4 in favor of their opponents.

Statistically, the Patriots had their best season ever. The offensive unit scored a total of 30 goals for the entire season. On defense, the opponents could only manage 16 goals in ten games.

FIRST ROW: Jeff Turner, Bill Atherton, Bowen Stewart, Robert Farmer, Carl Vaughan, Steve Megson, Whitney Pesnell, Ed Laster
SECOND ROW: Coach Duren, Ned Foster, Robert Folsom, Tom Wailes, Will Jackson, Trey Turner, Jim Shipp, Mike Bacon, Fairmount McCullough, Paul Poole





TOP: Jeff Turner is anticipating a pass from Monte McCullough, who is being pursued by three Byrd defenders. LOWER LEFT: As center halfback, Monte McCullough was often called upon not only to start our offensive drives, but also to stop those of our opponents. RIGHT: Mud was a common problem experienced during many of the games, with goalkeeper Trey Turner usually getting the worst of it



PATRIOTS MATCH-UP IN TENNIS

The Tennis team, coached by Miss Margaret Bray, included a larger schedule this year. In November, the Patriots traveled to Garland, Texas to play in a tournament but were rained out. The team also held tournaments scheduled in Longview, Texas, Magnolia, Arkansas, and with Marshall High School.



FRONT ROW: Christ Mayo, Lisa Hargrove, Ann Lamb, Virginia Hendrick, Pam Seiber, Lindi Locke, Candy Tillman. SECOND ROW: Margaret Bray, Ken Beebe, Mark Burch, Jon Harbuck, John Weston, Mike Sale.

PATRIOTS POST

4-4 RECORD

The 1971-72 season marked the beginning of baseball at First Baptist. The Patriots, coached by Leon Shaw and led by Junior Mark Hightower, who pitched every game, split their schedule with a 4-4 record. The future of Patriot baseball was strengthened, not only by one year's experience but also by the purchase of a new field.

F B S.

4	Friendship	6
6	Friendship...	7
10	...Baptist Christian...	2
4	Baptist Christian	2
23	Riverdale	17
10	Southfield	5
1	Southfield	4
4	Southfield	6



FRONT ROW Mike Rogers Tom Wailes Paul Patton Phil Megison John Smith SECOND ROW Coach Shaw Mark Hightower John Copey
Ronnie Grey, Mike McCann, Tommy Huddleston, Robert Johnson



GOLF TEAM UP TO PAR

The 1972-73 golf team was small but potent. Coached by Mr. Milton Burke, the team consisted of seniors Mark Hightower and John Campbell, sophomore Mike Sale and eighth graders Pat Avenger and Eddie Morgan. During the 1971-72 season the golfers played in two tournaments with Lake Providence and one with Southfield. Coach Burke stated that this spring they plan to play in tournaments in Dallas, New Orleans, and Lake Providence.



Eddie Morgan, John Campbell, Coach Burke, Mark Hightower, Mike Sale. Not Pictured: Pat Avenger



a glow that grew
with each shared experience,

it grew
until it became a light
that warmed us all.

Now,
We are the Patriots
One in the Spirit.

The warmth and hospitality

in addition to the love
we share with one another,
has allowed us to reflect

becoming one—
not only with ourselves
but with others.

The PATRIACH State



to a wonderful comrade
whose loyalty and faith
subdued his intelligence
and a fine co-star in
our current film Hope
to see you successful
some day Thank You

Ray Elmer

John F. Fenn

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Hon. Rich. Fenn

Karen Snow





SPIRIT

